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## AMERICANS SHOW WELL IN GAMES

All Three Places in the Hurdles and New Broad Jump Mark Go to United States

## DISCUS A DISAPPOINTMENT

Duncan, Holder of World's Record, Captures Only Third Place in the Event

STOCKHOLM, July 12.—Americans kept up their winning exhibition in the Olympics today sweeping the boards in the finals of the 110 meter hurdles, landing first honors in the running broad jump, with a new Olympic record and getting second and third places in the throwing of the discus.

Despite this showing, however, there was great disappointment over the result of the discus throw. Jim Duncan, holder of the world's record, was expected to have an easy time here, but the best he could do was to annex the solitary point that goes with third honors. Taipale, the giant Finn, threw the "dish" 148 feet, 1 1/2 inches, far beyond the best mark of the Americans.

When three American flags on the poles indicated a clean sweep in the 110 meter hurdles, the Swedes in the great stadium stands demonstrated the popularity of the victory by prolonged cheering by sections, in which the king, who was in the royal box, led.

With a grand total of 88 points won in all sporting contests and with 50 points won in the track and field events alone, the American contestants in the Olympic games were confident when the contests were resumed today of adding materially to their totals.

While the preliminary events were being contested, however, the Americans who have the sport at heart were chiefly concerned in the suggested code of rules and uniform list of events to be drawn up for all coming Olympic games. Delegates representing every nation conferred today on the subject. It was agreed that the present rules are defective in many respects and it was expected that tentative rules would be agreed on before the meeting finally ends here.

**Unfair to Some**  
America was represented at today's conference by J. J. Sullivan and J. B. McCabe of Boston. The general complaint has been made that under present rules some countries which have only a very few high class men are forced to make them show their best in everything from the preliminary events on.

In addition there was a general complaint at the lack of penalties provided in the rules for false starting and other things which have seriously interfered with some of the events contested here.

Great interest attached to the finals of the 110 meter hurdles today, because of the fact that only one man qualified who was not an American. He was K. Powell of England, but a flyer over the sticks and one to be reckoned with. His opponents in the race were Martin W. Hawkins, Portland; John P. Nicholson, University of Missouri; James Wendell, New York A. C.; Fred W. Kelley, Seattle A. A., and John Corse of the University of Illinois.

**Discuss Disappointment**  
The result of the finals in the discus throw, which was considered easy for Jim Duncan, was an upset in form. The winner turned up in Taipale, the big Finlander, who has been showing well in all of the strength contests. R. L. Byrd of Adrian college, was second and Duncan third. The winner's distance was 148 feet, 6 new Olympic record. Ralph Rose and "Babe" McDonald, who were expected to show well, finished far down on the list.

Lieutenant Patton of the United States army, the only American contestant in the Pentathlon, won the cross-country event in this all-around contest, and fell in a faint as he broke the tape at the finish mark. He was revived, but greatly weakened by his exertions.

**Sweden Wins Pentathlon**  
There was an impressive scene in the stadium when the flag of Sweden was hoisted on all three of the poles, when the result of the modern pentathlon was announced. Lillichook of Sweden, was first with 27 points; Asbrink, Sweden, second, with 28 points, and Delaval, Sweden, third, with 30. Lieut. Patton of the American army, finished sixth in this event, which included shooting, swimming, 300 meter running, fencing, riding, cross country running, and 4,000 meters. In his first attempt at the running broad jump, A. L. Gutterson of the University of Vermont, covered 24 feet 11 inches and this mark was expected by the Americans to stand.

The finals of the 110 meter hurdles was won by Fred W. Kelley of the Seattle A. A., with James I. Wendell of the Wesleyan university, second.

Gutterson's running broad jump of 24 feet 11 inches, which was a new Olympic record, was not equaled by any of the other contestants, and he was declared the winner. Bricker, the Canadian, was second, and Aberer of Sweden, third.

## TO CHANGE RATES FOR SPRINKLING

Day Will Ask Council to Adopt Meter System for Sprinkling Purposes

## MAY ABANDON FLAT RATE

Recommendation of Railway Commission to Charge Pro Rata Is Up to Council

A communication will be presented to the city council at the regular meeting tonight by James T. Day, president of the board of public works, asking that action be taken to pass an ordinance by which all water taps must be provided with a meter and the flat rate on sprinkling, now in vogue, be eliminated.

This action on the part of Mr. Day has been prompted by a communication received by him from the state railway commission, recommending that such steps be taken. From the general substance of the letter, Mr. Day construes it to be a gentle hint on the part of the commission to the city and that the commission is merely giving La Crosse the option of being coaxed or driven. He declares it is better for the city to take the matter into their own hands now than to have to do so at the dictation of the commission.

**Present System Unfair.**  
Mr. Day said: "The railway commission is right in recommending that this be done. After a thorough investigation and examination into the water tap system of La Crosse we find that the North side is consuming about fifty per cent of the water of the city, while they produce but about one-fifth the revenue for water supply. Thus the burden falls on the general tax payer instead of the consumer."

"Water used in homes and business houses is paid for according to the amount used but a flat rate of \$2.50 per tap is now being charged on exterior water taps. Thus the persons using water for sprinkling purposes are charged a certain rate without regard to the amount of water used. They are receiving the benefit at the expense of the tax payer in general."

**People Careless.**  
"Not only is the burden misplaced under the present system, but when persons are charged irrespective of the amount of water used it leads to carelessness and an over use of water which would be eliminated under the meter system. It often happens that persons will leave their water running. This would rarely happen if they were charged up for their carelessness."

Mr. Day admitted that his communication would probably receive some opposition, but predicted that the council as a body would approve of the new system.

This will require the purchase of hundreds of new meters, but he declares that many persons have been preparing themselves for such a change and have already provided themselves with meters for the exterior water taps.

## M'COMBS THOUGHT CHOICE OF WILSON

Governor Picks Man for National Chairman and Campaign Manager Is Believed Favorite

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 12.—Announcement was made by Gov. Wilson today that he has arrived at a decision regarding the new chairman. Until that decision is given to the national committee when it meets Thursday he said he would not make his selection known. It is generally believed among politicians here, however, that the chairman will be William F. McCombs who has acted as campaign manager for the governor up to the present time. The governor held a final conference this afternoon with Robert S. Hedpeth, national committeeman from New Jersey.

Col. Robert Ewing, national committeeman from Louisiana, after his conference with the governor, declared he had no doubt McCombs would be elected chairman of the national committee on the first ballot on Monday. He said he also believed the chief party headquarters will be in Chicago, although there will be a branch headquarters in New York City.

Ewing said he had urged the governor to have a small campaign committee appointed to take over the work of the national committee during the coming campaign but that the governor failed to say whether he would favor such a plan.

## PLAQUE IN HAVANA

HAVANA, July 12.—Bacteriological examinations proves today that Carmelo Helguera, who died here last night, succumbed to bubonic plague. The case developed but a block from the president's palace.

## PASSES ARCHBALD IMPEACHMENT BILL

House, with One Dissenting Vote, Adopts Articles Against Accused Commerce Court Judge

## SCENE SHIFTS TO SENATE

Higher Body Expected to Recess Until Fall to Allow Arbitrator Time to Prepare Defense

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The house of representatives on Thursday adopted by a vote of 222 to 1 articles of impeachment against Judge Robert W. Archbald of the United States Commerce court.

Representative Farr of Pennsylvania cast the single vote against the bill of impeachment. Mr. Farr is a lifelong friend who has all along voiced confidence in Judge Archbald's integrity.

Of the total membership of the house in the seats, nine voted "present." These were former Speaker Cannon, Representatives Burgess of Texas, Dalzell and Olmstead of Pennsylvania, Dwight of New York, Johnson of South Carolina, Parran of Maryland, Rucker of Missouri and Sparkman of Florida.

Only three members have spoken in the judge's defense. They were Representatives Farr, Bowman and Focht, all republicans of Pennsylvania.

The scene now shifts to the senate, which will sit in judgment in the case. While a disposition has been voiced in the senate to postpone the trial until the autumn, Chairman Clayton of the house committee on judiciary and one of the prosecuting managers, declared his conviction that the senate would take up the impeachment soon.

The Lorimer case has blocked further action by the house in the Archbald impeachment proceedings.

Chairman Clayton of the judiciary committee, who has assumed the role of "prosecuting attorney" said today that he had been requested to defer action until the senate had disposed of the Lorimer affair.

"We will merely make formal announcement to the senate," said Clayton, "that the house has adopted the articles of impeachment."

## FOUR SAILORS SCALDED

HAVANA, July 12.—Four sailors were badly scalded by an explosion in the boiler room of the Cuba, a cruiser recently received from the Cramps ship yard.

## MISS STRACHAN NOT MOO-MOOSE

Refuses to Bolt National Education Association Despite Defeat for the Presidency

CHICAGO, July 12.—Miss Grace C. Strachan will not be the Moo-Moose of the National Educational association. The defeated New York candidate for the head of the teachers' organization, while firmly convinced that underhand methods accomplished her defeat, has decided not to bolt and form a "third party."

Although they were defeated in their fight on the presidency, the Strachan forces succeeded in reading the suffrage question into the records of the organization. A resolution favored by the New York delegation favored "votes for women," asserting that "only by woman's suffrage will the highest degree of citizenship be reached in the United States." Incorporated in the resolution was a declaration favoring the teaching of suffrage principles in the schools and a more thorough course in utilitarian economics.

The convention went on record as favoring the wider use of motion pictures for educational purposes.

## NOT MUCH RELIEF

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Uncle Sam's weather bureau started off its country wide forecast today with a promise of relief from the heat wave in an unsettled weather prediction for the east and then wound up with the declaration that "temperature changes will not be decided."

## WATTERSON REFUSES REPLY

CHICAGO, July 12.—"I have nothing to say at this time regarding Mr. Bryan's statement on the 'eruption' of Mount Watterson," said Solon H. Watterson of Louisville, today, at the luncheon given by the Chicago Association of Commerce, to the commissioners of the Admiral Perry memorial ceremonies.

## PARIS BUILDS TENEMENTS

PARIS, July 12.—The French government authorized today to build today to borrow \$40,000,000 to build model municipal tenement houses in which the rentals will be the lowest possible.

## AYLWARD TRAPS BUSY MR. BOLENS

Madison Lawyer Asks Embarrassing Question About Volunteer Income Tax Referendum

## BOLENS TAKEN BY SURPRISE

Finally Announces that Entire Cost of 62,000 Postcards Mailed Was but a Small Sum

(By Joseph K. Kidder.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—Henry Bolens, Port Washington, Wis., the would-be-can't-be Emanuel Phillip of the democratic party, in a meeting of the democratic com-

**BOLENS CARDS HERE.**  
Proof that the Bolens "referendum" is being conducted on a large scale was found in La Crosse this morning. The Bolens postcards have been distributed to people throughout the city, some of them going in large packages to a single individual, with the indication that economy is no object in their dissemination. The card proposes the establishment of an "anti-income tax league."

mittee on resolutions was handed a jolt from which he has still failed to recover. John A. Aylward is the man who administered the knockout.

The committee prior to going into executive session, heard the various opinions of state people in regard to plans to be incorporated in the platform—especially that pertaining to the income tax law.

After all the "small fry" had offered their humble views on this absorbing and momentous subject the Hon. Henry, fresh from his printing plant in Port Washington, stepped before the committee room.

His appearance itself was awe inspiring. So confident was his bearing that various members, who theretofore had been drowsing, began to "sit up and take notice."

"Gentlemen of this committee," started Henry, pausing to allow his words to sink in. "I am here to tell you the result of a quiet referendum I have been taking on this all absorbing question." Here the committee straightened up and drew their chairs tighter to the table.

"I want to state that I, unbeknown to others, have quietly conducted a referendum of my own in this state. I have attempted to ascertain the sentiment of the people on the question of income tax." The interest was intense.

"The result," and the speaker paused to give force to his words, "has been overwhelmingly against the measure!" The last very dramatically and with much gesticulation. "There are 62,000 people on record against the law!"

The intense silence was interrupted by John A. Aylward leaving the room.

Evidently taking the departure of Mr. Aylward to signify that his argument was telling, the speaker then launched into a vigorous denunciation of the law, during which he predicted dire defeat for progressive republicanism. He exhibited one of the return postal cards on which it was stated that the signer "forthwith pledged himself not to vote for any candidate, irrespective of party, who does not favor the repeal of the state income tax law."

At this juncture Aylward returned with a copy of the state election laws, with his thumb on the following section:

"Disbursements by Persons Other Than Candidates and Committees—Section 94-11. 1. Every person other than a candidate or committee..."

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## WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; no decided change in temperature.

For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather with probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather with probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; cooler southeast portion tonight.

**Weather Conditions**  
A moderate depression has developed in the plains states and local thunderstorms have occurred in the Missouri valley and throughout the Canadian northwest. Rain has also been quite general in the Atlantic states and the temperature has moderated somewhat in the middle and north Atlantic states.

Showery conditions will prevail in this section tonight and Saturday with no decided change in temperature.

## BALLINGER COMES IN FOR PROBING

Hanford Investigation Committee to Delve Into the Record of Ex-Cabinet Member

## QUESTION OF ESTATE TANGLE

Alleged that Hanford and Ballinger in Collusion Robbed Heirs of Over \$20,000

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—An announcement that Richard Achilles Ballinger, former secretary of the interior, will also be investigated by the congressional committee which is here examining the record of United States District Judge Cornelius Hanford, today lent additional interest to the Hanford probe.

Ballinger's activities in the settlement of a certain estate when he was acting as lawyer for the Scandion-American Bank of Seattle are to be probed to the bottom, according to the announcement by the committee. This will come through investigation of charges made against Ballinger by Attorney Jerrold L. Finch, who, testifying before the committee, practically accused Judge Hanford and Ballinger of acting in collusion in a settlement of the estate to its loss of more than \$20,000.

Another angle of the Hanford case was given publicity at last night's hearing, when a reporter was examined on a published story that a "white slave" ring was behind the attack on Judge Hanford. Questioned by the committee the reporter said Judge Hanford in person gave him the information upon which the article was based.

The first night session held by the committee last night was occupied by the testimony of Alfred Battle, law partner of Richard A. Ballinger, ex-secretary of the interior, who was principally involved in the conspiracy charge made by Attorney Finch in the Heyman and Hanson cases. Ballinger was present through the night session, but did not choose to take the witness stand.

Battle's testimony throughout was an attempt to explain a number of alleged transactions charged to Ballinger and other attorneys and claimed by witnesses to have been conducted by Judge Hanford.

Frank A. Paul, a young attorney, testified that he had seen Judge Hanford in such a condition that "if it were not that he was a federal judge, one would think he had been drinking to the extent of incoherent intoxication."

## FIFTH ARTILLERY SPENDS DAY HERE

Battery D Arrives Here from Fort Snelling on Way to Camp Bruce E. McCoy at Sparta

Battery D of the Fifth field artillery composed of 150 men arrived here enroute from Fort Snelling to Sparta at 11 o'clock this morning. They will remain encamped at the fair grounds until six o'clock tomorrow morning when they will continue their march, probably arriving at Sparta tomorrow afternoon. They spent last night at Kariang farm, twenty-two miles north of La Crosse, breaking camp at an early hour this morning.

This division of the artillery will take part in a month's military maneuvers at Camp Bruce E. McCoy. Among the other troops which will arrive at Camp Bruce E. McCoy tomorrow are one-half of Company A, hospital corps and one-half of Company B, ambulance corps. This will bring the total number of regulars now at the Sparta camp to 3,500.

The sixth regiment of cavalry from Fort Des Moines is expected to arrive here tomorrow or Monday. This regiment consists of 600. As now planned they will spend two or three days in La Crosse before continuing their march to Sparta. During the last week numerous letters have been received at the local post-office for members of the Sixth cavalry.

Regulars from a half dozen neighboring states will take part in the maneuvers as will several regiments of the Wisconsin National guard. Already a large number of regulars have arrived at Sparta and Camp Douglas and others including militia, will join them within a few weeks.

Companies M and B of the Wisconsin National guard, both local companies, will leave La Crosse July 22 for Camp Douglas where they will take part in three days target practice. They will make the trip on a special train. On July 25 they will start to march to Sparta where they will spend eleven days.

## LORIMER FIGHTS IN VAIN ATTEMPT

Blonde Boss Makes Desperate Appeal to Retain His Seat in the Senate

## MINORITY STILL AGAINST HIM

Enemies of Illinoisan Insist They Have More Than Enough Votes to Oust Him

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Fighting with his back to the wall, Senator William Lorimer today resumed his desperate attempt to sway by dramatic appeal of innocence the most difficult of audiences—the United States senate—and obtain a vindication at their hands of the charges of corruption in his election.

Even Lorimer's enemies today paid tribute to the power of his oratory by making another canvass of the senate to discover whether their estimate of a majority of ten to oust the junior senator from Illinois had not been changed. They claimed it had not and that when a vote was taken, probably late this afternoon, Lorimer would be removed as the beneficiary of a corrupted legislature.

If Lorimer was aware of the odds against him he gave no indication today. His vigorous phrases in denunciation of his enemies and picturesque assertions of innocence carried a powerful dramatic appeal. Packed galleries eagerly watched the speaker's short, stout figure, hung upon his words. It was the general opinion that Lorimer was making an even better fight this time than he did eighteen months ago, when he faced the same charges of corruption in his election.

Lorimer privately expressed the belief just before he resumed his speech that he would conclude his defense about noon, and in view of this, the general belief was expressed in the senate that a vote would be taken late this afternoon.

When he took the floor only about a dozen senators were present, but the leaders scurried around, and corralled a quorum within a few minutes. All subtle devices of the stage were brought into place by Lorimer in his impassioned, dramatic utterance. He took the center of the center aisle, a bulky figure in dark serge suit, buttoned shoes and a clerical white tie and shirt.

Lorimer's famous blonde curls bobbed viciously as he tossed his head and shook his body with violent gestures. He removed and replaced his gold spectacles nervously from time to time.

Frequently his voice broke with apparent pathos, or rasped as he shouted his diatribes upon his enemies. Often he turned and shook his fist at the auditors, including many representatives and government officials.

## PROHIS DISCUSS THE WAR CHEST

Declare \$150,000 Is Needed to Carry on Campaign; \$41,000 Already on Hand

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 12.—The entire morning session of the prohibition national convention was devoted to finances. Retiring National Chairman Charles R. Jones stated that it would require not less than \$150,000 to defray the expenses of an energetic campaign. He announced that as the result of the early efforts there was \$31,000 in the treasury, of which amount W. Nicholas Taft, a relative of the president, contributed \$10,000. Today more than \$10,000 additional was pledged, and committees were named to aid in raising the amount still needed. It was expected that the nomination of candidates would be reached some time this afternoon. There were numerous candidates for both places on the ticket and it was considered certain that many ballots would be necessary before a choice was reached. Before getting down to nominations the convention took up consideration of the demand of Rev. H. H. Taft to change the name of the party to the national conservation society. Rev. Taft is the founder of Humboldt college, Iowa, and also a distant relative of President Taft.

## MOVEMENT ALARMS EUROPE

PARIS, July 12.—The "See America First" movement in America is causing grave alarm throughout Europe and especially here. "La Presse" publishes this: "Rich Americans have a habit which we find excellent: it is to come to Europe, and particularly to France, to spend the bigger part of their incomes. A reaction against this custom has set in. . . . Anyhow we shall have to look sharp. If this movement should become effective it would prove a very grave thing for our commerce."

## KAREL WINS BUT BOTH NAMES GO BEFORE PRIMARY

"Loaded" Convention Gives Reactionary Small Margin, but Kills His Hobby Plank

## THIS DEFEAT BY BIG ODDS

Blank Flatly Repealing Income Tax Buried Under Avalanche of Negative Votes

## TO NAME GOVERNMENT TODAY

Wolfe Will Rise in His Place and Nominate La Crosse Man for Attorney General

(By H. B. Robertson.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—While in a "packed" convention Judge John C. Karel won the endorsement for the democratic nomination for governor by the narrow margin of 393 to 375, the democrats in near-convention assembled ordered that the state central committee circulate the nomination papers of both A. J. Schmitz and Judge Karel. Thus the fight will be settled in the primary.

The outcome is said to be pretty certain to be a Schmitz victory. The Journal, a strong Wilson paper, is openly out against Karel on his legislative record, and it is significant

that the "News," Milwaukee's most uncompromising democratic daily, yesterday published Karel's record and urged the convention to take a progressive stand upon both platform and candidate.

However, Karel's victory was stamped as a personal one by the fact that the convention elected Schmitz's choice for permanent chairman, Thomas M. Kearney, and by the overwhelming vote of 524 1/2 to 165 1/2 rejected the Karel plank looking to repeal of the present income tax law. The attempt to overrule the platform plank drafted by the resolutions committee pledging amendment of the law to be ratified by a referendum before the people, was made by the conservative forces just after the resolutions committee report had been read to the delegates. Senator Paul Huston, chairman of the committee, led the fight for the progressives and F. E. Walsh of Milwaukee, leader of the forces behind the candidacy of Judge J. C. Karel, last night's choice of the convention for the gubernatorial candidacy, led the opposition.

An attempt in the convention by A. J. Girlich, Marathon county, to have the water power plank eliminated from the platform was also voted down by an overwhelming majority.

**The Platform**  
The party platform as drafted by the resolutions committee and today adopted by the democratic state convention contains the following pledges:

1.—National Platform.—To ratify and affirm the platform adopted by the national democratic convention, pledging unequalled support to the nominee and affirming confidence in W. J. Bryan for his ceaseless efforts in behalf of the party.

2.—Special Interests.—To approve the stand taken by the Baltimore convention against special interests and predatory wealth, and pledging eternal vigilance against like evils in Wisconsin.

3.—Income Tax.—We affirm our belief in the principle of a graduated income tax as eminently just and equitable. We criticize the present law as imperfect and inequitable in many respects. We therefore pledge ourselves to amend the present law at the 1913 session of our legislature so as to remove the obnoxious features complained of, and to make its provisions simple and equitable, and to submit the law as so amended to the people of our state for their approval or rejection at the first general election after its amendment.

4.—Economy.—To favor strict business methods in the administration of state affairs. Appealing to the consolidation and reduction of existing commissions to a minimum consistent with efficient government.

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Ladies' all linen and initialed Handkerchiefs, at each .....5c

## HAIR GOODS VALUES

Switches made of best refined hair at clearance prices. We can match any shade perfectly. Priced at .....79c, \$1.49, \$1.98 and \$2.98

### WISCONSIN NEWS

#### RACINE COMPANY TO FIGHT VOTE

Declare Question of Ownership Was Not Placed Before People by Referendum

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—Because the referendum was upon the question, "Shall the city of Racine purchase its waterworks?" and made no reference to the plant of the Racine Water company, the property in question, that company contends that the issue was never properly submitted to a vote of the people. In arguing for the company before the railroad commission yesterday, Attorney Thomas Kearney of Racine said:

"The question as printed on the ballots cannot be made to describe the property of the Racine Water company any more than a question relating to the condemnation of land belonging to a member of this commission could be made to support the condemnation of lands of another."

Further objection to the jurisdiction of the railroad commission was made by Mr. Kearney on the ground that compensation for the property of the company never has been voted by the city.

Burr W. Jones of this city and City Attorney Burgess of Racine argued that the people of Racine fully understood the question was on the purchase of the existing waterworks plant and said it had carried by a vote of 2,526 for and only 466 against.

The commission took the matter under advisement and later will submit an opinion on the company's contention and a decision.

It's a wonder more married women do not lose their minds—considering the liberality with which they give their husbands pieces of it.

## FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil: Remove Them With the New Drug

An eminent skin specialist recently discovered a new drug, othine—double strength, which is so uniformly successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by O. T. Erhart under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first night's use will show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely. It is absolutely harmless, and cannot injure the most tender skin.

Be sure to ask O. T. Erhart for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money back guarantee.

### COMPOSER ELOPES WITH CHORUS GIRL

Pietro Mascagni Leaves His Wife After Quarrel and Makes Off with Lady of the Theater

ROME, July 12.—Abandoning pursuit of her husband and the Costanzi theater chorus girl, with whom he is reported to have eloped Wednesday, Signora Pietro Mascagni is returning to Rome from Florence today.

Questioned on the road the composer's wife refused to discuss the story of the elopement or the quarrel between the Mascagnis which preceded it, or even to admit that it was in pursuit of Mascagni and chorus girl that she left Rome. That she was on the fugitive couple's trail there is, however, apparently no doubt.

Where Mascagni and, presumably, the chorus girl, who is missing from Rome, have gone is unknown except possibly to close friends. The composer is understood to have told his wife before leaving that he intended ultimately to return. It is uncertain that she will receive him back. Nor is it certain that Mascagni himself will not consider his promise to return in view of the dispute between husband and wife which preceded his departure, in which the former is said to have received a quite serious cut on the head from a flying domestic utensil.

The Mascagnis have not lived harmoniously together for a long time. Acquaintances attribute their disagreements partly to the composer's erratic temperament and partly to the violent temper of his wife, who, though devotedly attached to her husband, has no patience with his eccentricities and whose intense jealousy of him has caused several public scenes between them in the past.

### PLAN IMPROVEMENT ON ST. CROIX RIVER

OSCEOLA, Wis., July 12.—The annual convention of the St. Croix River Improvement association was opened on Thursday, and Commercial club delegates and town officials, representing Hudson, Wis., Stillwater, Minn., and other cities of the St. Croix valley are in attendance. Discussions, led by river navigation experts, will be held relative to the improvement of the St. Croix channel, the advancement of harbors, and the removal of sunken logs, cribs and old piers. A report will be made today on the Hudson river piers, the subject of recent agitation. Representatives of a number of motor boat and canoe clubs are here.

### REPORT ON PANAMA BRAWL

WASHINGTON, July 12.—An army investigating board submitted a preliminary report to the war department today charging Panama police with unnecessary violence in quelling a street brawl, on July 4, last by shooting down several Americans and soldiers. The board will now investigate the police side of the story and if the preliminary report is sustained the United States will take further action.

### NORTHWEST NEWS

#### WOULD DISCHARGE MILITIA MEMBER

Controversy Between Agricultural Department and Militia May Follow Action of Professor

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Some member of Company B, First infantry, Minnesota National guard, now at camp at Lake City, stands a good chance of being made the object of litigation between two state departments, in order to determine the power of a state to compel enlisted men to attend the annual encampment.

According to information received from the state agricultural school, Prof. Maine of that institution, intends to discharge an employee in one of the departments of the school, because he was made to join his company and go to Lake City.

Colonel Luce of the First regiment, over the long distance telephone, said Thursday that he would ignore all demands to let the member go, and would fight any attempt to get him to leave.

The attempt of a state employee to discharge another state employee for doing his duty to the state as a member of the national guard is a novel state of affairs which has not come up in the past.

Colonel Luce says he will go to the courts, if necessary.

### STATE OWES FOR SENATE'S PRAYERS

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Sixty dollars' worth of prayers offered in the senate for the good of its members at the extra session, and which included a plea for good to the people, the president of the United States and all others, stand as a debt against the state of Minnesota. The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, chaplain of the senate, appeared at the state capitol endeavoring to collect the money.

### BODY IS RETURNED TO INSANE ASYLUM

ST. PAUL, July 12.—The body of A. Helfmann, 460 West University avenue, which was brought to St. Paul from the state hospital for the insane at St. Peter early this week, was taken back to St. Peter Thursday, in order that an inquest may be held. A blood clot on the brain and another over the chest decided the authorities to investigate.

### ROOSEVELT MEN TO MEET JULY 30

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Because the Auditorium was not available July 24 the Roosevelt men have abandoned that date and the progressive convention will be held in St. Paul at the Auditorium July 30. It is likely that a St. Paul man will call the convention to order and that a temporary chairman will be selected from the cities. The permanent chairmanship doubtless will go to the country.

### POSTOFFICE ROBBED

ST. PAUL, July 12.—The robbery of the Willow River postoffice, Pine county, near Duluth, Wednesday night is the fourth that has occurred in this district in the past week. The office was forced open and the safe blown. Everything of value was taken.

### DUNN FOR CONGRESS

ST. PAUL, July 12.—H. H. Dunn, Albert Lea, is being urged to enter the race for congressman-at-large. It is said he is delaying his announcement to see how the third party movement will affect matters.

A woman may not be able to keep a secret, but when it comes to suffering in silence she has a man beaten to a frazzle.

### SHERIFF KILLS A YOUNG BANDIT

Posse Corners Two in a Canon and Desperate Fight Ends in Death of One and Capture

LANDER, Wyo., July 12.—Word reached here today from a lonely canon south of here, that Sheriff W. G. Johnson and a posse had cornered two desperadoes in a rifle battle late yesterday and that one bandit had been slain and the other captured. The fight lasted more than an hour. The names of the robbers are unknown.

On the night of July 3, a lone robber held up three saloons at Riverton, a small town near here. Later the robber, who was a mere lad, joined a companion at the outskirts of the town and fled. Sheriff Johnson's posse pursued the robbers for several days, locating the men yesterday afternoon in the lonely canon. Sheriff Johnson shot and killed the youthful bandit while the latter was crawling to an advantageous position. The other robber refuses to talk.

### MRS. MORROW TO BE ACQUITTED

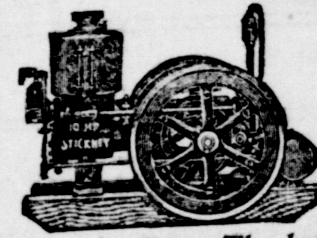
Even Prosecution Admits There Is Little Chance for Conviction on Murder Charge

CHICAGO, July 12.—Asking only imprisonment as a penalty and privately admitting that conviction is unlikely, the state opened its case today in the trial of Mrs. Rene Bacon Morrow for the murder of her husband, Charles B. Morrow, south side inventor. The court room was jammed when Judge Kersten took his seat.

In his opening statement Assistant State's Attorney Northrup confined his remarks to a mere declaration of what the state expected to prove, and announced that the first witnesses for the prosecution would show that Morrow frequently was barred from entering his own home and would show Mrs. Morrow's alleged relations with one of the boarders in her house.

The state sprung a surprise when it was announced that Mrs. F. H. Woods, a boarder in the Morrow home, would be called to prove that

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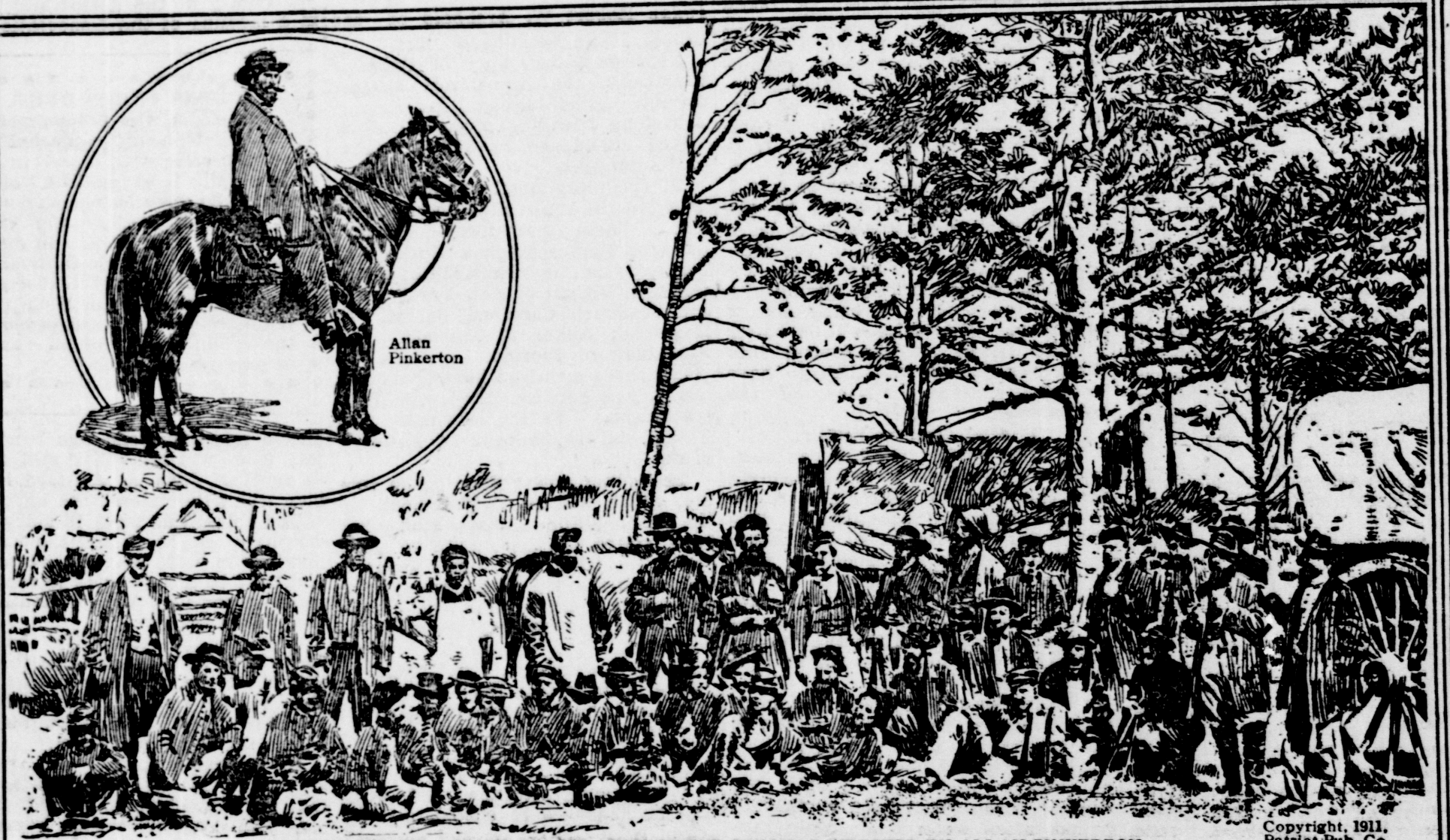
Mrs. Morrow came to her room after the shooting and asked Mrs. Woods to inform the police when they arrived that Mrs. Morrow had spent some time there the night before. Mrs. Morrow seemed considerably disconcerted by Northrup's statement.

Before going to the courtroom today Mrs. Morrow seemed confident of acquittal. "I will be a free wo-

man," she declared, "free from the bonds and the horrible suspicion of having slain my husband. And I will be free within a week."

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meant death; when success brought only the reward of labor for love of country.

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## AMERICAN MEDICAL SCHOOLS INADEQUATE

When the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching made its now famous report on medical education in this country it created a distinct sensation. Medical practitioners had known and deplored the facts for some time, but the general public had been ignorant. It was like suddenly letting the light in on a dark place where filth and refuse long had been allowed to accumulate. Immediately several states, notably Illinois, started in to clean up, and many commendable reforms were accomplished.

That much, however, remains to be done is indicated by the latest report of the Foundation. This concerns American schools only through the inevitable comparison. The subject is European schools. Three-fourths of the medical schools in this country would be driven out of existence, if the lowest terms upon which medical schools can exist abroad were applied here is the flat statement made by Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Foundation, in his introduction.

"Scandals in medical education exist in America alone," he says. "In no foreign country is a medical school to be found whose students do not learn anatomy in the dissecting room and disease by the study of sick people. It has remained for the United States and Canada to confer annually the degree of doctor of medicine upon, and admit to practice, hundreds who have learned anatomy from quiz-compends, and whose acquaintance with disease is derived, not from the study of the sick but from the study of text books. Managers of feeble enterpris-

es in this country pretend that they are making great sacrifice for the public good. This hypocritical defense ought not to be permitted longer to damage the public interest. No medical school that lacks proper facilities has any other motive than the selfish advantage of those who carry it on and no civilized country except America at this day allows such enterprises to impose upon the public.

It would not be a bad idea if every man or woman employing a doctor insisted first on knowing where he received his education. The list of institutions to which the Foundation refers can be secured by request. A doctor, after all, is the employee of the one who is paying him and the latter clearly is entitled to know his qualifications before entrusting him with what may be a case of life or death. If the inadequate schools heard directly from the public in this way they soon either would really educate students or quit the pretense.

## WISCONSIN AS EVER LEADS PROCESSION

"The civic intelligence which is keeping Wisconsin in the forefront of democratic commonwealths has shown itself by supporting a liberal policy of conservation," says the Chicago Tribune. "The state has large forest reservations, especially at the head waters of the Wisconsin and Chippewa rivers. 'These reserves,' the Tribune continues, 'are in a remarkable region of lakes, well known to fishermen and hunters and wood lovers in this part of the country. One Wisconsin county has more water area than land. This county, Vilas, with an adjoining one, Oneida, has 1,200 lakes, and in them the state has reservations of 140,226 acres, partly virgin forest and partly burnt land.'

"And now comes the able state forester, Mr. E. M. Griffith, with a plan to lease sites in the lake region reservation for summer homes. The terms are summarized by La Follette's Weekly as follows: 'Lots are leased, no more than five acres to one person, for periods of twenty years, with the privilege of renewal at the end of that time. The rental varies from \$5 to \$50 per annum, according to the size and location of the lot and the amount of timber on it. This makes practically free ownership, for the restrictions upon the lease are very few. He may cut only such trees as are marked by the foresters, he must pay the market price for them, must use all possible care in building fires, and agree not to sell liquor upon the premises or to sublet without the consent of the forestry board. These restrictions are well overbalanced by the low rental, protection from fire and molestation, and freedom to enjoy the use of the whole reserve.'

"This offer is open to residents of other states. 'The plan will prove profitable to the state not only by direct public revenue from rents but by bringing many summer home seekers and vacationists into the state. It will insure the preservation of the forest region, with the consequent protection of the water supply, and it will give resources of health and happiness to thousands. 'Wisconsin and its state forester are to be congratulated on this fine enterprise.'

Eastern professor says the usual married couple's kiss is only a perfunctory peck. Unmarried folks would rather have a bushel. Hum, it begins to look like Wilson.

There has been so much political excitement that the average bride and groom are getting by on trains and in hotels without being noticed.

Alfred Henry Lewis calls Taft a water blister, which seems to be about the last word in the way of a cheerful campaign felicitation.

We have yet to see a young man so entirely at ease and as sartorially flawless as the one on the back cover of the magazine.

## Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

**The Summer Girl**  
Her heels are the highest, her hose is the thinnest,  
Her skirt is the narrowest ever displayed;  
Her neck is the lowest, her sleeves are the shortest,  
Her earrings the longest that ever were made.  
Her father's the tallest, her watch is the smallest  
That ever kept time in a circle of pearls.  
Her handbag's the biggest, her puffs are the broadest  
That ever were pinned to a structure of curls.

Her hatpin's the sharpest that ever projected  
Ten inches or more from a lingerie hat;  
Her sunshade's the deepest that ever was carried  
And shaped like a Chinese pagoda at that.  
Her collar's the laciest bit of adornment  
That e'er from the makers of lingerie came,  
For she is the Summer girl back to the beaches,  
And living as ever right up to her name.

—Minna Irving in New York Times.

**Kansas Woman's Bank Account**  
A woman went into one of the banks in Fredonia and said to the cashier, "I should like to open an account at this bank, if you please."  
"We shall be glad to accommodate you, madam. What amount do you wish to deposit?"  
"Oh, but I mean a charge account, such as I have at the dry goods store."—Fredonia Herald.

**The Black Eye**  
He was stooping over the automobile crank when it kicked back and bit him in the eye, placing the optic in deep mourning. That was the truth of it, but these are some of the things he heard from his friends when he walked to his office next day:  
"Been having a fight? What's the lady's name?"  
"Your wife can throw a rolling pin pretty straight, can't she?"  
"You ought to get on the water wagon. Look at me. I haven't had a black eye in nine years."

"Oh, yes, I've heard that automobile crank story before. I guess you ran into a tree, if the truth were known."  
"That story will do to tell women and children, but don't hand it to me old scout."  
"Wear glasses and then they won't dare hit you in the eye. It's a penitentiary offense."

"It seems as though when you fall upstairs you could manage to hit some other portion of your anatomy than your eye, but there is no accounting for tastes."  
"What was the bartender sore at you about? Couldn't you leave the place at shutting-up time without being thrown out?"

**Poet's Hope**  
"Cheer up, dear," said the poet's wife, looking at him over her evening paper, "there are good times coming."

"What is it now," inquired the poor poet.  
"Here's a piece about an old manuscript poem of Shakespeare's selling the other day for \$2,000."—Catholic Standard and Times.

**The Customary Attitude**  
"What attitude shall I assume during the campaign?" asked the candidate, who was new at the game.  
"I would suggest an easy posture at a desk," answered his more experienced manager, "with a check book in one hand and a fountain pen in the other."—Pittsburg Post.

## HOT WEATHER IS QUICK TO AFFECT THE BOWELS

**Well-Known Fact That Extreme Heat Conduces to Chronic Constipation**

The disposition to eat cold food and indulge in iced drinks is one reason why constipation and diarrhoea is so prevalent in summer and there is no time when people should more carefully avoid bowel disturbances, as much serious disease is directly traceable to these conditions. We need all of our strength to withstand the enervating effect of heat.

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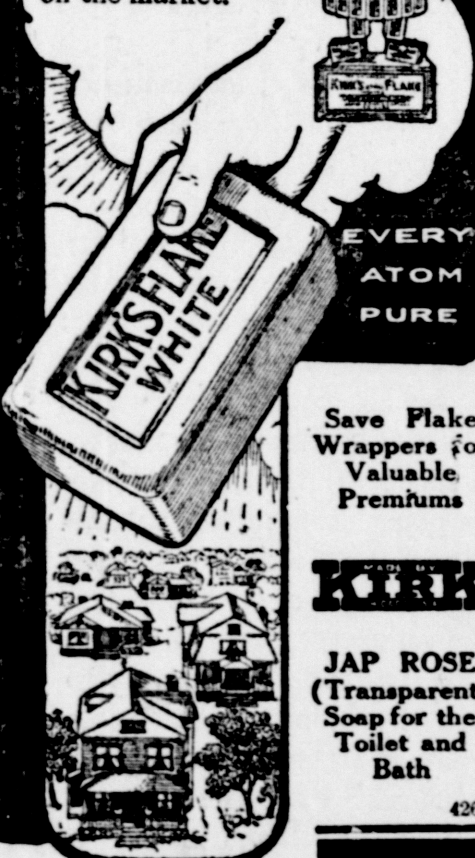
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## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

**Plays Golf at 100**  
PLYMOUTH, Mass., July 12.—Uncle Tilden Pierce, aged 100, recently played his first game of golf just after having taken his first automobile ride and his first drink of ginger ale.

**Flying Pays Well**  
NEW YORK—Mrs. Lincoln Beachey, who is seeking alimony from her husband, the aviator, alleges that in a year he earned \$100,000 by flying. He made \$75,000 in one summer, she says.

**\$100,000 Owed to Gambler**  
NEW YORK—One hundred thousand dollars in "gambling debts" are said to be due James Wakely, the noted gambler, once wealthy, who is now believed to be dying from apoplexy.

**Sees Sweetheart Disguised**  
WHEELING, W. Va.—Forbidden to visit his sweetheart by her parents, George Jarrett, 17, donned his sister's clothing and masqueraded as one of her girl associates.

**Drowns Saving Doll**  
PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Attempting to save six year old Vera Stanley's doll when it fell from her arms into the river, Henry Rulka, aged 8, was drowned.

**Sell Courthouse for \$10**  
KENTON, O.—At a public auction the Hardin county courthouse was sold for \$10. John Burkhardt, a contractor, who paid the price, agreed to raze the old structure and cart away the debris.

**Cuts Nose, Not Fly**  
CHARDON, O.—Norman Whiting was shaving himself when a fly settled on his face. Whiting made a quick move for the fly and cut off the end of his nose.

**Bluffs Out Johnson**  
CHICAGO—When Jack Johnson appeared in United States Commissioner Bull's office wearing his hat and smoking, a 120 pound bailiff jerked the weed from his mouth, threw Johnson's hat on the floor, told the champion to "behave" and got away with it.

**Pie Goes Out**  
CHICAGO—A local pie company secured a \$2,300 tax reduction when it proved people have discarded pastry and taken up fruit and ice cream as desserts.

**Liked to Stick Around**  
CHICAGO—Mrs. Carlisle Sinek, suing for divorce, told the judge her husband went into a disorderly resort with another woman. "How do you know, asked the judge. "Followed him," said Mrs. Sinek.

**Trail Thief by Grease**  
CHICAGO—Frank Moriarty stole a ham with \$1.92. Patrolman Friend followed the trail of grease and arrested Friend. The ham cost Moriarty \$5.

**Up to Date Journalism**  
City Editor—Is Senator Briscentt out covering the mothers' meeting?  
Assistant—Yes.

City Editor—And is the boy orator looking after the deaf and dumb asylum reunion?  
Assistant—Yep.

City Editor—Who is attending to the theft of Tottie Coughdrop's diamonds?  
Assistant—That is the regular assignment of the shah of Persia, retired. And, by the way, the president sent in his usual signed statement, but he was careless in its preparation, so I have sent it back for revision.

City Editor—That's all right. Now, here's a good story; see if you can't find a regular reporter to cover it.  
—New York Herald.

## The MAN in the BROWN DERBY

by WELLS HASTINGS

Author of "The Professor's Mystery"

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"You know then," said Mrs. Lathrop, "that he is almost as tall as you are, with great heavy sloping shoulders and queer broad stumpy hands. His hair was black and not very thick and grew down low in the middle of his forehead, in what I think is called a widow's peak, and what with the long nose under it and eyes too small and near together and that queer, mean, little baby mouth of his, I can tell you I was sorry I hadn't slammed the door in his face."

Here at last was some picture of the man to go upon.  
"How was he dressed?" I asked.  
"I don't exactly know," said Mrs. Lathrop. "I remember that he did have a brown derby and that his clothes were brown too; smooth, I think, and with a narrow stripe. He wore a ring with a sort of pointed purple stone in it. All his things looked as if he had plenty of money. Still, I think I hated the woman more. Perhaps a woman always does hate a woman more, when she's hating at all. I thought she was fat at first, but she wasn't, only heavy and broad and strong, with a square mannish face and a silly pool of chorus-girl hair over it."

"No one said very much while they were eating their supper. The two of them had the girl between them, and talked across her, while she said nothing. Once or twice the doctor raised his thin eyebrows at me, as if he meant me to understand something he didn't want to say at the moment. He had caught me looking at the girl, poor dear, I suppose, and all he could think of was to make a mystery of it; for it was pretty plain that she was frightened and unhappy, and once, when she raised her hands from her lap, I noticed a red mark about her wrists, as if they had been tied together by a cord. So, when he came out into the kitchen to pay me, I asked him about it."

"Perhaps I should have told you about it, Mrs. Lathrop," he said, "but there are things that one does not speak of unless it is absolutely necessary. This young lady has run away from a sanatorium, and her nurse and I are bringing her back. It would have been better if some one of her family could have come with us, but they are all abroad at present."

"Do you mean to say," I asked him, "that that lovely little thing is out of her mind?"

"Only slightly," Mrs. Lathrop, he told me; "we hope to have her well in a year or so. Absolute quiet and modern treatment work wonders, you know. She imagines that she has been married, and will probably tell you so if she gets the chance."

"Well, she wears a wedding-ring," said I. That made him scowl at me, Mr. Ellsworth. It was pretty plain he thought I was too inquisitive; but I am not one that minds other people's scowls much, and I guess he saw that he was doing the wrong thing. So, finally he told me that they let her wear it to keep her quiet, and I more than half believed it, because you couldn't tell from her face whether she was married or not."

"Then he went in and whispered to that nurse a few minutes, and went out without saying another word to me. Pretty soon after that the ladies went up-stairs to bed." Mrs. Lathrop paused and sighed, and I, too, sat silent, impatiently angry at the thought of the night that Nancy must have passed, and must pass again, for how long I could not say. I looked up to find Mrs. Lathrop staring at me in astonishment.

"What is it?" I asked.  
Mrs. Lathrop chuckled. "Do you know, Mr. Ellsworth, that all this time you have been eating dinner in your gloves?"

"Why, so I have," I said, "but I am quite through now, so the harm is done."  
For two days I had forgotten my hands, this sudden reminder startled me, bringing back with a rush, as it did, the accustomed pain of my affliction; and yet this time a new thought and feeling mingled with the bitter old one; for I glanced down at my gloved hands and remembered how strong they were, with what a compensation, poor though it was, of unusual physical power they were endowed, and the reflection heartened me. I would bring my purpose to the level of my physical efficiency, and, matching sheer strength with sheer determination, knew that no world as small as this could hide my love away from me, nor him, who had taken and frightened her, from the inevitable terror of my grasp. In all my life I could remember putting forth my strength but once, and then it was my boy's strength.

The picture flashed grimly before me now, as I sat gazing at my gloved hands, standing on the instant clear and distinct before my mental vision, as such pictures will. It had happened at school, when I was a second-former and fourteen years old, I think. I was a new-comer, and, as I have said, not popular. One of the sixth formers, a great meddlesome fellow and the terror of the smaller boys, had stolen into my room at night, to drag me out to the hazing that most new boys, and all unpopular

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He Forgot During camp last year the buglers were detailed for parade with the bugle-major exempt. A lance-corporal was put in charge and he was an Irishman. When the parade had fallen in he was asked by the C. O. if the buglers were present. "No, sorr; one man absent," he exclaimed. "Well then," said the C. O., "go and find him." Whereupon Pat came running back five minutes after and said, "Shure, sorr, it was meself; I forgot to call me own name."

Both Dirty In Sunday school a little girl was questioned as to her repeated non-attendance. "Why have you been absent so many times lately?" asked the teacher. "Please, teacher, answered the girl, "mother thought I'd better not come to Sunday school as my hat was dirty." "But, my dear," objected the teacher, gently, "it's not the outward appearance that we consider; it is the inward." "I know that, teacher," was Maggie's reply; "but it is all the same, the lining was dirty, too!"

A good name is more to be chosen than great riches, but it won't buy a meal ticket.

There was an old woman—indeed 'tis no dream—Who lived upon little but Toasties and cream; And if you would know her delight in such diet, Just purchase a box at the grocer's and try it.

Written by ALBERT FITCH, Central City, Neb.

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2½ yards long, 50 inch wide, at per pair ..... **59c**

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Fringed or hemmed bed spreads, full size, at .... **98c**

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Long hip, well boned and taped corset at ..... **47c**

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Cambrie, lace or emb. trimmed, at ..... **95c**

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Only grade of stocking feet to buy, at pair ..... **53¼c**

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White lawn waists, all sizes, at only ..... **49c**

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White or colored jacket and skirts, at only per suit ..... **\$1.95**

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## North Side

### NORTH DAKOTAN IS MARRIED HERE

Miss Clara Anderson Weds L. N. Larson of Marmarth Last Night; to Live in the West

Miss Clara Anderson, 1029 Johnson street, and L. N. Larson of Marmarth, N. D., were married at Rev. E. O. Vik's residence at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. Both of the couple are well known and popular in La Crosse.

The bride wore white marquisette over a satin drop and she carried a bouquet of brides' roses. Miss Alma Anderson, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and she wore silk mull over lace trimmings and she carried a bouquet of white carnations. Melvin Thompson acted as best man.

Mr. Larson is a popular and well known freight brakeman on the C. M. & St. P. railroad and the bride also has a large number of friends in La Crosse. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Anderson of 1029 Johnson street.

A reception was given for the couple at the home of the bride at 1029 Johnson street at eight o'clock last evening when many of their friends were present. The couple will leave tomorrow night for Marmarth, N. D., where they will make their future home.

### NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mrs. Charles Orcutt and daughter Marjory of Minneapolis are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Orcutt, 813 St. Paul street.

Frank Culligan has returned to the city after a trip in the west.

Miss M. Rannum of Vancouver is visiting relatives and friends on the north side.

Mrs. B. Sheron and son Norman of Elroy arrived in the city this afternoon to visit relatives here.

Mylo Severson has returned to Elroy following a visit with friends and relatives in La Crosse.

Miss Mary Redpath left yesterday for Canada, where she will visit during the summer.

Miss Rose Hankerson has returned to her home in Chicago after visiting relatives and friends here for a couple of weeks.

Eugene Sickles has returned to his home in Winona after visiting his sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huber of St. Louis, Mo., are the guests of La Crosse friends.

Miss Helen Murphy of St. Paul is spending a couple weeks with relatives on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnston of Los Angeles, Cal., who have been relatives here for the past few weeks, have returned to their home.

Theodore Marshall of Chicago was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Allie Jefferson, who has been visiting her brother here, has returned to her home in Galesburg.

Mrs. F. Rose, who has been visiting her daughter in Galesburg, has returned to her home here at 1401 Charles street.

Miss Baker of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mrs. H. Roth, 1813 Kane street, for a few days.

Miss Etta Jacobson of Albany, Ill., is visiting relatives and friends on the north side.

Mrs. E. Houck and children, who have been visiting friends on the north side for the past few days, have returned to their home in Eau Claire.

Mrs. Mathews and children, Bobbie and Betty, of Minneapolis, Minn., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mathews, 1602 Avon street.

Mrs. Bice of 1551 Avon street is the guest of relatives and friends in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce of Rockford, Ill., are the guests of relatives and friends here for a few days.

Miss Holtz of Midway was the guest of north side relatives and friends yesterday.

Miss Catherine Craigen, who has been confined to her home, 1524 Caledonia street, with diphtheria, is able to be out.

Clifford Flanagan, Des Moines, Ia., is visiting relatives and friends here for a week.



Girls in their 'teens should not be pale, languid, constantly fatigued. Nature intended them to be bright, energetic and active.

Every parent of a growing girl, and every young woman who looks after herself, should be constantly on the watch for symptoms of impoverished blood. The happiness of a lifetime depends upon giving the blood the help it needs at this time, when girls are too frequently allowed to over-study, overwork or suffer from lack of exercise.

If your daughter is languid, has a pale, sallow complexion, is short of breath, especially on going upstairs, has palpitation of the heart, a tendency to faint and a poor appetite, she suffers from lack of blood. The most satisfactory way to give the blood the elements which it lacks is by using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A thorough trial will make the blood pure and red.

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## MILWAUKEE CARS ENTERED IN NIGHT

Forty Dollars Worth of Merchandise Stolen by Amateur Burglar from Yards

Three box cars on a freight train from the east were opened and entered some time last night when they were standing on the west side of the westbound C. M. & St. P. railroad yards on the north side and merchandise amounting to between \$35 and \$40 was removed from them. The C. M. & St. P. road detectives have been notified of the affair and they will immediately start work on the case. No clue as to the identity of those who entered the cars has been found as yet although it was stated this morning that it looks to be the work of some other than a professional as the goods were scattered all over the inside of the cars.

Discovered by Policeman

The freight train on which were the cars which were entered arrived in La Crosse from the east about midnight last night and they were started on their western journey early this morning. The cars were undoubtedly entered a short time after they reached the city. The night policeman in the yards discovered the box cars standing open during the night and immediately notified the railroad.

After an examination it was found that a number of shoes and a quantity of foodstuffs had been removed from the cars and the loss amounted to about \$40.

It is expected that an investigation of the affair will be started immediately when the railroad detectives reach the city. Attempts will be made to locate the ones who entered the box cars last evening.

When the bride begins to ask impertinent questions the honeymoon is bordering on the ragged edge. Fly time must be the airship season.

## NEITHER TAFT NOR T. R. HAD ENOUGH

La Follette Through Magazine Declares Both Had to Steal to Win Out

### SCORES ROOSEVELT DEEPLY

Own Ambition, Not Progressive Ideals, Moved Colonel, Alleges Senator

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—Senator La Follette in his periodical today gave his estimate of Roosevelt's case before the Chicago convention, concluding that neither the colonel nor Taft had a majority of properly qualified delegates, and declaring that Roosevelt "offered no reason for a third party excepting his own overmastering craving for a third term." Paying his respects to the new party and its leader on the cover of his magazine, Senator La Follette says:

"Progressive Only in Words  
"Mr. Roosevelt appeals to Progressives to join his party. Roosevelt's whole record demonstrates that he has no constructive power; that he is progressive only in words; that he is ever ready to compromise in order to win; regardless of platform promises or progressive principles. He will not last. In the end the people of this country will get his true measure. No party was ever successfully organized about a man. Principles and issues must constitute the basis of any great movement."

Bob's Statement.  
Discussing the Roosevelt program at Chicago under the title "The case of Mr. Roosevelt," Senator La Follette says:

"Bryan at Baltimore, foregiving all chances of his own nomination, marshalling all his forces, braving Tammany and the trusts to rescue his party from their domination, carrying the convention for the adoption of the most progressive Democratic platform yet offered, and the nomination of the most progressive Democratic candidate available, was a towering figure of moral power and patriotic devotion to civic righteousness."

"Roosevelt at Chicago, backed by money derived from the stock watering operations of the Steel Trust and the Harvester Trust, organized what are now confessed to have been 'fake' contests as to nearly two hundred delegates in order to control the Republican convention and secure his own nomination, refusing to aid in making a progressive platform, bound to have the nomination or destroy the Republican party, was a most striking example of misdirected power and unworthy ambition."

T. R. Served Self  
"Roosevelt had as great an opportunity to serve the progressive cause at Chicago, as Bryan had at Baltimore. But Roosevelt was serving the man, not the cause. He wanted one thing—he wanted the nomination. And yet he did not have enough votes to nominate himself upon any honest basis. He did have enough delegates in that convention ultimately to have nominated a real progressive and adopted a strong progressive platform. He could even have nominated Hadley on such a platform, and progressive Republicans could have supported Hadley in much the same spirit as hundreds of thousands of them will now support Wilson. Neither Hadley nor Wilson are veterans in the severest tests. Both appear to be men of high ideals whose records, though short, give promise."

"But Roosevelt would not consider Hadley. He would have no one but himself. At first suggestion of Hadley he ordered the third party maneuvers, lest he lose his followers. "If he had the evidence to prove that Taft could not be honestly and fairly nominated, why did he not direct his lieutenants to present that evidence to the national committee, and then to the convention and the country, so clearly that the convention would not have dared nominate Taft and that Taft could not, in honor, have accepted the nomination, if made?"

Neither Had Majority.  
"The reason is obvious. An analysis of the testimony will, I am convinced, show that neither Taft

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## PRISON GOOD FOR UNIONIST LEADER

MANCHESTER, Eng., July 12.—Tom Mann, the Syndicalist leader, who is serving a two-month sentence in Strangeways prison because he advised His Majesty's soldiers not to shoot down striking coalminers, is thoroughly enjoying his enforced rest. In a letter to a friend he says that prison life has greatly improved his general health and that on his release he expects to take up his organizing duties on behalf of the National Transport Workers Federation physically fit in every respect.

Most of Mann's time is occupied in knitting, in which pursuit he professes to have attained considerable proficiency and some artistic excellence. The wardens regard him as a model prisoner, his good conduct already having earned for him a merit stripe and the usual 20 percent remission of sentence. He will be set free early this month.

### WOMAN HEADS LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Mrs. John E. Raker, wife of the lone Democratic Congressman from California has been elected recording secretary of the National Democratic Women's League. Its objects are to promote the highest principles of Democracy. Mrs. John Sherwin Crosby of New York is president.

### GRANKE'S TRANSFER LINE

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## SOLDIERS TO PASS LA CROSSE ON TRAIN

A troop of cavalry from Omaha, Neb., will pass through La Crosse tomorrow enroute for Camp McCoy at Sparta, where they are to camp for some time, taking part in the army maneuvers which are to be held there. Two coaches on passenger train No. 6 have been reserved for some of the soldiers while the rest of the detachment will travel on another train.

A thirty-five car train of machinery from the International Harvester company, Deering, Ill., passed through the city last evening enroute for western points. From this city the train proceeded to Minneapolis, where they will be joined by another section and the train will be made up of forty-five cars when it leaves

the Twin cities. The destination of the machinery is Montevideo, Minn., and Aberdeen.

### SECOND BILLY SUNDAY FOUND

George Childers, La Crosse, an traveling man whom Mr. Dewey, superintendent of the City Mission, declares is a second Billy Sunday, will hold services at the Mission tonight. Mr. Dewey says Mr. Childers has only been an active worker since May 18, but that he is rapidly developing into a whirlwind evangelist.

### R. N. OF A. WIN PRIZE

The Royal Neighbors, Ivy Camp No. 1135 were awarded first prize for the best float in the Fourth of July parade by the committee of the Progressive league yesterday. The second prize was awarded to Henry Baum.

GOOD ONLY FOR SECTION 6 IF USED AT ONCE

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**History of the Civil War**

## BEN GETS A TICKET O. K. BUT DOESN'T PIPE THE GAME!









# RINGLING'S CIRCUS

## HERE TODAY

See the Circus come in. See it unload. See the tents go up. See the big dressing rooms. See the immense kitchen where the cooking is done by steam. See the monstrous dining tents that will amaze you. See the gorgeous parade with twenty-four huge elephants, sixteen camels, etc., etc. See the Circus itself with its funny clowns, acrobats, trained animals, pretty girls, etc. See the team of trained pigs, the immense crowds going in and coming out. See them loading up after the show, with the elephants pushing the heavy wagons, etc., etc. See Ringling's Circus as you never saw it before, both in the big tent and behind the scenes. A truly remarkable presentation of a wonderful enterprise shown on a thousand feet of film.

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### KAREL WINS BUT BOTH NAMES GO BEFORE PRIMARY

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Commending practice of unnecessary multiplying commissions.

- 5.—Municipal Home Rule.—Affirming the declaration made in the state platform of 1910 in favor of municipal home rule.
- 6.—Natural Resources, Water Power.—Favoring conservation of all natural resources in Wisconsin for the benefit of many instead of a few. Control by state of riparian grants subject to revocation, amendment and appeal, granted for a limited period only, not to exceed forty years.
- 7.—Referendum and Recall.—Pledging support to the existing constitutional amendment providing for adoption of the initiative, referendum and recall.
- 8.—Declaration in favor of the principles of guarantee of bank deposits.

**Cheer Schmitz**  
Following the vote in which the Karel forces met defeat in an attempt to revise the platform, A. J. Schmitz, the progressive candidate for governor, came to the platform and was loudly cheered when he denounced the attempt to kill the income tax law and asserted it was prompted by ulterior motives.

The convention then recessed until 2 p. m.

**Like Bryan Defiance**  
A resolution placing the convention on record as against predatory wealth and special interests, and following in line with the Bryan resolution adopted by the Baltimore convention was today offered by National Committeeman Joseph E. Davies and adopted by the convention. The resolution was as follows:  
"Whereas, in the conflict in the Baltimore national democratic convention, the democracy triumphed over the attempt of special privilege to dominate and control the party,  
"Whereas, a progressive platform was adopted and progressive candidates named,  
"Whereas, the same contest exists in each of the several states to a less degree; therefore, be it  
"Resolved, that at this crisis in the life of Wisconsin democracy, it be the sense of the democratic party of Wisconsin in convention assembled that no candidate should receive the endorsement of the party for any office except a democratic progressive, both in profession and in deed."

**The Fight Last Night**  
The fight on endorsement of a nominee was bitter. The Karel men made the tactical blunder of objecting to unanimous consent that Karel's legislative record be read on the floor of the convention. A motion not to vote on candidate where two stood for a single nomination was lost, but a substitute adopted provided that a ballot should be taken where more than one candidate

was presented and that the one receiving the highest number of votes be recommended to the people of the state, but that the papers of both the candidates receiving the highest number of votes be circulated by the state committee. This was in effect a compromise, the Karel men not having enough margin to warrant steam roller tactics.

**Wolfe Names Schmitz**  
The First district yielded to the Seventh and William F. Wolfe of La Crosse took the platform to nominate Adolph J. Schmitz of Milwaukee as the democratic candidate for governor. In a ringing voice he lauded the democratic national candidate and predicted success at the polls in November.

He said he came to the platform to nominate a man known in every democratic household in Wisconsin for his honesty and integrity; a man who had made sacrifices and had carried the banner when there was no hope of reward. As the candidate of his party two years ago he had made a splendid campaign and he named Adolph J. Schmitz as the man who would lead Wisconsin democrats to victory this fall.

**Karel Is Named**  
The roll proceeded until the Fourth district was reached, when William J. Kershaw took the platform to place in nomination Judge John C. Karel of Milwaukee. He made the statement bluntly in his opening sentence and pandemonium broke loose, cheers and the university yell sounding throughout the theater. Young, energetic, capable, he said, Judge Karel was a progressive, but not so progressive that he could not distinguish between republican and democratic theories of government. His friends support him for governor because he stands boldly against the iniquitous and inquisitorial income tax law, said Mr. Kershaw, and in closing pledged the support of Judge Karel and his friends to the ticket this fall.

Bert Williams of Ashland seconded the nomination of A. J. Schmitz when the Tenth district was reached.

Portraying the progressive tendencies of the democratic party, he assailed the record of Judge Karel as opposed to progressive measures and aroused a storm of cheers and hisses. He charged that in the assembly of 1901 Judge Karel had sat and voted with the railroad lobby.

Yells of "When did you become a progressive?" "Nominate La Follette." "Go back to Ashland," interrupted the speaker and in reply to the La Follette taunt he said:  
"I'll nominate him later."

**Clearly for Delay**  
After the Eleventh district had been called T. L. Cleary of Platteville moved that both names submitted to the convention be recommended to the people.

Dan H. Grady of Portage rose to a point of order, the point raised being that the roll had not been completed on nominations for governor

when Mr. Williams' seconding speech had been made and he asked that he be permitted to reply to the attack upon one of the candidates.  
He was given the platform and expressed his sorrow at the poor taste shown in the attack upon Judge Karel's record by a man who asked the nomination for lieutenant governor from the Oshkosh convention and at whose instance the resolutions endorsing William Jennings Bryan were tabled in a democratic state convention.

**Grady in Answer**  
"If there be no other charge against one of these candidates, gentlemen of this convention, than that he opposed the primary election law ten years ago," said Mr. Grady, "then Judge Karel is willing to meet that charge and there is hardly a delegate here of whom the same charge of opposition might not be made. To that law we owe most of the debauchery of Wisconsin politics and the spectacle of the putting up at auction of the highest office in the state, the senatorial toga, to be knocked down to the highest bidder."

He closed with the prediction that Judge Karel would receive 20,000 more votes than any other candidate for governor whom the convention could name.

T. L. Cleary renewed his motion that both names be submitted to the people. The Milwaukee delegates protested that no opportunity had been given for seconding speeches. The chair asked Mr. Cleary if he consented to a substitute.

"I do not," was the emphatic reply.  
W. J. Zimmerman made an impassioned appeal to the convention's sense of justice, which caused Mr. Williams to join in the appeal and Mr. Cleary was asked to withdraw his motion.

**Motion is Tabled**  
Again he refused, and Mr. Collins of Ozaque moved that the Cleary motion be tabled. On a viva voce vote, the chair declared the motion carried.

A campaign fund of \$8,150 was raised, of which La Crosse county contributed \$250.

**Drawing the Lines**  
There were two great results accomplished by this morning's session of the democratic convention.  
One was proof that the men back of J. C. Karel represent the Tory element of the party and the other was the overwhelming gains of the progressive faction or the Schmitz forces. The vote on the income tax plank in the platform shows a gain of 150 votes for the progressives.

Every Karel speaker last night maintained that he is a progressive. It is the claim of the progressive leaders that if the vote on Karel and Schmitz had been cast this morning Schmitz would have won two to one. This claim is substantiated by the vote on the P. E. Walsh proposed amendment to the platform which called for a repeal

of the income tax and the substitution of another law embodying the same principles.

The same speakers who nominated and seconded the nomination of Karel today expended the same fiery eloquence in the denunciation of progressive measures. Those who spoke for Schmitz were just as eloquent in their defense. The only difference in today's proceedings were that the Tory leaders had lost the greater part of their following.

William J. Kerchow, Milwaukee, who placed Karel's name in nomination, was leader in the attack today. He was assisted by Maurice McCabe, Hugh Ryan, F. E. Walsh, Milwaukee, and Dan Grady, Portage, all seconders of Karel's nomination, and Harry Bilens, Port Washington, the aspirant for lieutenant governor and founder of the "Anti-Income Tax league."

The men who defended the measure were A. J. Schmitz, Milwaukee, who was given an ovation as he appeared on the stage; Senator Paul Hastings, T. L. Cleary, Platteville; Bert Williams, Ashland; J. L. Aylward, Madison, and E. J. Dempsey, Winnebago City. These men all spoke for Schmitz last night. Williams' able handling of the subject has made him the strongest candidate in the convention for attorney general. It is unlikely, however, that he will enter the race against John Doherty of La Crosse.

**Beat Kneen to It**  
J. Kneen's plan to read Karel's record on the floor of the convention last night failed to materialize because Williams beat him to it. W. F. Wolfe's speech nominating Schmitz was as eloquent a portrayal of progressive democracy and the strength of his candidate as was Williams' showing up of the Tory crowd. Wolfe will nominate Doherty this afternoon.

25th semi-annual green tag July clearance sale at The Continental is now on.

**IN JUSTICE COURT.**  
State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County, City of La Crosse, ss.  
To Charles Foust:

You are hereby notified that a summons and garnishee summons has been issued against you, and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of William Vaughn, amounting to thirty and 50-100 dollars (\$30.50).

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## AYLWARD TRAPS BUSY MR. BOLENS

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er than, a candidate or a personal campaign or party committee, who shall within any twelve months, make any disbursements for any political purpose, exceeding in the aggregate fifty dollars in amount and value, shall file within forty-eight hours after making any disbursement, causing the aggregate of such disbursements to reach such amount, a sworn statement thereof with the clerk of the county wherein he resides.

Bo lens continued his narration of the imaginary downfall of progressive republicanism, through the income tax law, which he branded as retrogressive, inquisitorial and ineffective.

"If we favor this measure the progressive republicans are going to vote the progressive republican ticket," shouted Henry, directing his remarks to Aylward. "If we take a firm stand against it we are going to get their votes." Then he stepped aside.

"Just one minute," said Mr. Aylward as Bo lens was leaving the room. "You say you have received 62,000 answers to this and they are coming in at the rate of 1,000 per day. Now WHO PAID FOR THIS REFERENDUM?"

Henry half opened his mouth, closed it, opened it again and then stood for several seconds with it way open, gazing directly at Aylward.

"I said, 'Who paid for this referendum?'" repeated Aylward. "Henry recovered and declared, 'Well, it wasn't any of the corruption leaders who sunk \$50,000 into the campaign fund of Bob La Follette.'"

"I know," coolly answered Aylward, "but you are not answering the question of 'Who paid for this referendum?'"

"Well," continued Henry, who had by this time recovered some of his rather discomposed bearing, "if it will appease you any I might state that I own a printing plant and got these out myself at little or no cost."

He gave figures indicating that the entire cost of stock, printing and mailing of 62,000 cards had been about \$52, but he did not say no more had been paid or deny that others had paid money for the work.

Today the question of "Who paid for Bo lens' referendum" is the all-absorbing question in political circles. Knowing that Henry is a frequent visitor at places which bear the name of reactionary "hangouts," there is little or no doubt in the minds of many as to just who "paid for the referendum."

Henry's argument killed the point he attempted to make when Aylward pointed out that according to the wording of the card the 62,000 opponents of the income tax wouldn't vote for a democrat if he didn't go on record against the measure. Henry denied that he was attempting to hid his alleged figures as a club over the heads of the resolution committee.

While there was some opposition to the law there was just as much sentiment in favor of it. Among those who were against repealing the measure were John Harrington, Oshkosh, state tax inheritance attorney; and William Panger, Milwaukee, employe and expert in the municipal tax assessor's office.

William F. Wolfe, La Crosse, is one of the most influential figures in the present convention. He is the man who is scheduled to nominate A. J. Schmitz, the progressive candidate for governor and democrats from all over the state are planning on a treat when his nominating speech is let out.

Mr. Wolfe's chief claim to popularity is the fact that despite his keen interest and untiring work for the cause of progressive democracy he is not asking anything in the way of reward. He is not seeking office. "Billy" Wolfe—as the delegates prefer to call him—could have been the nominee for governor. The Schmitz people would have withdrawn and a tentative promise of withdrawal had been received, it is claimed from the Karel faction. But "Billy" figures a sure legal practice in La Crosse better than the possibilities of the executive's seat—besides he likes La Crosse better than Madison.

John F. Doherty, another delegate from La Crosse, is "there with the goods" when it comes to wielding influence and as a member of the committee on permanent organization told many of the other committee members where to "get off at."

To E. J. Kneen goes the heavy-weight scrapping belt of the Seventh district delegation. Kneen is the man who all day Thursday paraded around awaiting an opportunity to "read Karel's record." He had several copies of the document, one in each pocket, to prevent all chance of his losing the precious slip when the opportunity for telling of the judge's votes in the assembly should arise.

20 per cent discount on all boys' and children's wash suits, at The Continental.

**IN JUSTICE COURT.**  
State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County, City of La Crosse, ss.  
To Charles Foust:

You are hereby notified that a summons and garnishee summons has been issued against you, and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of M. L. Miller, amounting to thirty-two and 50-100 dollars (\$32.50).

Now, unless you shall appear before C. L. Baldwin, a Justice of the Peace, in and for said County, at his office, in said City, on the 10th day of August, 1912, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1912.  
M. L. MILLER,  
Plaintiff.

# THE CASINO

Today and Tomorrow  
**His Punishment**  
A Strong Tragic Drama.  
**Mates and Mismates**  
A pretty story of parents' interference, but of a final happy marriage. Wealth vs. Love.  
**The Weight of a Feather**  
A Drama.  
Every picture represents an interesting story, and presents a strong bill.  
If you're warm, come in and cool off

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Ink widens the world of every business. If a business is worthy and managed well, printing is the next great factor in its success.

The kind you ought to use and when you ought to have it, that is when you really need it.

Let me quote you price on your next order.  
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Same sells everywhere for \$3.50 and \$4.00.  
Repairing a Specialty.  
Men's sewed soles, 75c  
Best rubber heels, 40c  
208 South Third Street

## THE NEW JEFFERSON HOTEL

La Crosse, Wisconsin.

The Best \$2.00 a Day House in the City.

**Frank Kohn**  
MANAGER

### INSIDE LIFE OF CIRCUS PICTURED

The Selig company recently obtained permission to take motion pictures of the Ringling Brothers' circus, every facility being afforded to secure everything of interest from the time the trains pulled into the yards, the unloading, the putting up of the many tents with all its apparent confusion, the immense kitchens, where enormous quantities of victuals of all description are cooked in huge steam kettles, the dining tents capable of accommodating hundreds of people, the dressing rooms and the various performers awaiting their turn to "go on," a glimpse of the show itself and finally the crowds leaving the tents and last of all the loading for the trip to the next stop. The pictures are most interesting and one is afforded an opportunity of seeing life behind the scenes in a manner not usually seen by even the most alert small boy. These interesting pictures will be shown by Sherwood and McWilliams at the La Crosse theater this evening.

20 per cent discount on men's and young men's suits, at the Continental.

### ALBERT BRZOWSKI DIES THIS MORNING

Albert Brzowski, 600 Charles street, died of old age at his home at seven o'clock this morning. He was ninety-five years old and he has resided in La Crosse for some time. The funeral will be private and will be held from the Holy Cross

church at eight o'clock tomorrow morning with Rev. V. Till officiating at the services. Friends please omit flowers.

### NOTICE.

Parties having gasoline lamp lighting agreements with the late Wm. A. Downs, please notify Wm. F. Baker at the Baker-Niebuhr Co. store, Fifth and Jay streets.

# GREAT CLEARING SALE!

COATS AND SUITS—Best values at regular price. At this sale ..... ONE-HALF PRICE  
MUSLIN, KNIT UNDERWEAR and NOTIONS must go, nothing reserved. All at HALF PRICE and less.

## We Must Have More Room

Any pair of GLOVES .... ONE-HALF PRICE  
All HANDKERCHIEFS .ONE-HALF PRICE  
Special discount on all our WASH DRESSES and WAISTS.

The low prices on our WOOL and WASH SKIRTS are startling.

THIS SALE IS A REAL SALE.

**L. D. PEET** 409 MAIN STREET



**20% OFF**  
Former Low Prices

**OUR 25TH SEMI-ANNUAL  
GREEN TAG**

**20% OFF**  
Former Low Prices

**JULY CLEARANCE SALE**

**Is On Gentlemen—So Buy Early—By Reducing Our Prices We Reduce Our Stock**

We are making this the most important of all previous sales, and we want you to share early in the remarkable values we are offering. The powerful buying facilities of our combined stores (seven in Wisconsin and Illinois) enables us to buy merchandise cheaper and on a larger scale than our competitors—and remember, our 20% discount off former low prices is equivalent to from 30 to 40 per cent discount elsewhere. Being ever alert—ever “on our toes” ready to take advantage of every opportunity that will net our patrons an unusual profit—that’s the policy that’s building up this business. These are the wide-awake progressive methods that are getting us the good will and patronage of the majority of men in this section. Your unrestricted choice of all our Hart, Schaffner & Marx, L. System and Our Own Guaranteed Brand Clothes for Men and Young Men, Odd Trousers, Boys’ and Children’s Suits.

**TWENTY PER CENT OFF FORMER LOW PRICES**

**MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS**

\$12.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$10.00
\$15.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$12.00
\$18.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$14.40
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$16.00
\$25.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$18.00
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$19.20
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$20.00
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$20.80
\$22.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$22.40
\$24.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$24.00

**Men’s and Young Men’s Odd Trousers**

\$2.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.00
\$3.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.40
\$3.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.80
\$4.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$3.20
\$4.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$3.60
\$5.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$4.00
\$6.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$4.80
\$6.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$5.20
\$7.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$5.60
\$7.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$6.00

**Boy’s and Children’s  
All WOOL SUITS**

\$4.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$3.20
\$5.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$4.00
\$6.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$4.80
\$7.50	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$6.00



**THE CONTINENTAL**

HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGER

**Boy’s and Children’s  
WASH SUITS**

\$1.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	80c
\$1.25	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.00
\$1.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.20
\$2.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.60
\$2.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.00
\$3.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.40
\$3.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.80

**The Popular Clothing Store That Guarantees A Square Deal At All Times.**  
**The Store on the Corner with Prices on the Square—Cor. 4th and Pearl Street, La Crosse, Wis.**

**RIGHT IS TOTAL DEAD**

**BEN FRANKLIN MINE EXPLOSION**  
YESTERDAY KILLED MANY  
AND FATALITY WOUND-  
ED THREE

WHEELING, W. Va., July 12.—Duty Mine Inspector Earl Henry of Clinton, W. Va., and Chief Mine Inspector John Laing of Charleston, arrived in Moundsville this morning to investigate the cause of the gas explosion at the Ben Franklin mine yesterday, which eight were killed and three others fatally injured. President Quade, owner of the mine, arrived from Pittsburgh and is giving every financial monetary assistance. John J. Berry, superintendent of Parr’s mine, in leading the first rescue party, penetrated too far into the gas filled mine and was himself overcome but rescued.

**CYCLONE THOMPSON HOME.**  
SYCAMORE, Ill., July 12.—Cyclone Johnny Thompson is home today for the first time since he battled twenty rounds to a draw with Frankie Mantell at Sacramento July 4. According to Thompson he would have knocked out the Rhode Island peach had it not been for an injury he sustained while training.

**MORRIS WINS IN HURRY**  
SAPULPA, Okla., July 12.—Carl Morris did not give the state police a chance to interfere in the fight with Con Comiskey here last night. Half a dozen blows were struck in the first round and Comiskey took the count.

**FARMER IS CHARGED  
WITH SON’S MURDER**

RHINELANDER, Wis., July 12.—George Kester, a farmer of Minocqua, Wis., was arrested and brought here for a hearing on the charge of having killed his adopted son, Edward Condon, a boy of 13 years, whose body was found in the river near Minocqua on Monday.

**NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND  
BINDERS.**

The undersigned printing committee of the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County hereby request sealed bids for county job printing and book binding for the year ending July 1, 1913, as per schedule on file in the office of the county clerk.  
Sealed bids will also be received for publishing the proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors.  
Sealed itemized proposals for such printing and binding will be received at the office of the County Clerk up to 2 o’clock p. m., July 17, 1912.  
Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County Clerk in the sum of \$50.00. The successful bidders will be required to furnish bonds for the faithful performance of contract.  
The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated La Crosse, Wis., July 5, 1912.  
L. SCHERHART,  
JOHN A. WEBER,  
F. J. BROWN,  
Printing Committee.

**ORANGEMEN DO BATTLE**

**60,000 CELEBRATE BATTLE OF  
THE BOYNE BY BIG RIOT AND  
FIGHT WITH POLICE IN  
BELFAST**

BELFAST, July 12.—An outbreak of rioting between home rulers and anti-home rulers followed an attempt by the former today to break up an anniversary celebration in commemoration of Boyne.  
Sixty thousand anti-home rulers were marching towards the white abbey to adopt resolutions in opposition to self government for Ireland when the trouble started. The paraders desperately resisted repeated efforts to break their ranks and to tear down an arch erected in honor of them. An orgy of stone throwing and window smashing ensued and when the police tried to restore order, both sides fought them furiously. Scores were hurt by flying stones, and two policemen were so badly injured that they are in the hospital.  
The Orangemen finally reached the abbey where resolutions were adopted for the resistance of home rule to the last ditch. More trouble is feared.

**2,200 APPLY FOR JOB**  
LONDON, July 12.—The owners of Caxton Hall, Westminster, advertised for a hallkeeper who could show testimonials for faithfulness, honesty, tact and intelligence. The job was worth \$8.75 a week and 2,200 applications were received. Of these 900 had credentials which were beyond reproach. The man who got the job is an Oxford graduate.

**STRAY CRUCIFIX  
IS WORTH \$125,000**

MADRID, July 12.—Ten years ago a carved ivory crucifix was bought at a rag fair at Reus. On her death, soon after, the purchaser left the crucifix to her daughter, wife of the deputy, Senor Mayner. A visitor to the house offered Senor Mayner \$500 for it, but it was refused. An antiquarian, learning of the existence of the crucifix, offered \$75,000, but this, too, was declined.  
It is now known that the crucifix is one of the finest carvings of Leonardo da Vinci. An offer of \$125,000 from an American collector is being considered.

**NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.**

The undersigned committee on buildings and grounds will receive bids at the La Crosse County Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 2:00 o’clock p. m., for the furnishing of 200 tons more or less of smokeless coal, to be delivered at the La Crosse County Court House and Jail, and 75 tons more or less to be delivered on sidetrack near the La Crosse County Poor Farm. Owner will do the hauling at Poor Farm. The coal to be delivered as needed during the season of 1912 and 1913.  
The committee solicits propositions on two grades, lump or run of mine.  
The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
PETER LEHNEN,  
GEO. J. RITTER,  
J. H. MORAN,  
Committee.

**CHILD SAVES MOTHER**

**NEW YORK WOMAN TAKES SICK  
BABY TO PARK AND IS AR-  
RESTED FOR BEING ON  
THE GRASS**

NEW YORK, July 12.—Because her baby cried all night and the doctor told her that it must have fresh air or it would surely die, Mrs. Rebecca Koploff took it to Central park. But the park was hot and under the trees the child seemed to have trouble getting its breath. Just beyond there was a wide open space of nice sod and the woman—she is young and speaks very little English—took it there. She carefully removed her own petticoat and spread it on the grass and the little one was soon cooing contentedly.  
A policeman blew his whistle, but the young mother had dropped off to sleep herself. He came over and roughly aroused her. He upbraided her for walking on the grass which Park Commissioner Stover had declared must be kept sacred and finally bundled her into a patrol wagon and carried her off to court.  
Magistrate Herbert promptly fined the woman, whose husband earns \$8 weekly working eleven hours daily in a laundry, one dollar. She had not the money to pay and told the court that if she had she would use it for food. Finally, after the probation officer had begged that the woman be not sent to jail and had pointed out that if she was, the child would probably die there, Magistrate Herbert reluctantly remitted the fine.

**MOVIE ACTORS IN  
REAL LIFE PLAY**

COPENHAGEN, July 12.—A party of actors and actresses, while preparing for a thrilling sea drama for cinematograph shows, had a taste of the real thing. They chartered a steamer at Lemvig and cruised along the coast. In order to get the right setting for a shipwreck scene they approached close to the shore. The camera was busily recording the rescue of the heroine by the hero when a storm arose. For ten hours the steamer struggled to get seaward. A fishing trawler from Lemvig came to the rescue. The actors were taken off, and five minutes later the steamer sank.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned at the office of the County Clerk in the Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 3 o’clock p. m., for re-setting the boilers in the court house.  
For information regarding the work to be done address the undersigned committee.  
Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County Clerk in the sum of \$50.00. The committee reserves the privilege of rejecting any and all bids.  
Dated July 5, 1912.  
PETER LEHNEN,  
GEO. J. RITTER,  
J. H. MORAN,  
Buildings and Grounds Committee.

**JUDGE BACKS HANFORD**

**U. S. JUDGE CUSHMAN DECLARES  
BROTHER JURIST NEVER  
TOOK MORE THAN  
2 COCKTAILS**

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—United States Judge Edwin E. Cushman, whose territorial jurisdiction is co-extensive with that of Judge C. H. Hanford, now under impeachment investigation here, was the first witness called before the congressional probers today. His testimony was practically the same as that given by other friends of Judge Hanford. He declared that he had never seen the judge take more than two cocktails at one time and he never observed him under the slightest influence of liquor.  
J. W. McLean, former postoffice clerk, testified he saw Judge Hanford positively intoxicated on a street car.

**FRENCH PREMIER TO  
VISIT IN RUSSIA**

PARIS, July 12.—It is understood here that Prime Minister Poincare will advance the date of his visit to Russia and his meeting with the Russian Foreign Minister. He is expected to leave Paris at the end of July. The agitation of the question of an alliance between France and England makes this visit of more than usual interest, especially as France and Russia are already allies.



STORE  
OPENS  
9:30 A. M.

# SCOTT-ROSE COMPANY

VISIT  
THE ORIENTAL  
RUG SALE

418-420 MAIN STREET

## Annual Remnant Sale

An event that is looked forward to by thousands of women in La Crosse and vicinity as the Greatest Bargain Event of the Year.

Sale BEGINS SATURDAY MORNING At 9:30

All remnants, broken assortments, discontinued numbers and odds and ends from every department in our store will be closed out

## AT HALF PRICE AND LESS

**DON'T MISS THIS GREAT BARGAIN EVENT**

### Wash Goods Remnants

We have gone through our Wash Goods and White Goods stocks, taking out all remnants and short lengths of imported and domestic fabrics, consisting of India Linens, Lawns, Dimities, Batiste, Embroidered Swisses, Voiles, Tissues, Linettes, Waistings, Percales, Gingham, Cambric, Muslins, etc.

We Have Cut the Prices in Half.

Regular prices 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25  
Sale prices ... 5c, 6¼c, 7½c, 12½c, 25c, 50c, 62½c

### Wash Braids

All remnants of Cash's Imported fast colored Braids go at HALF PRICE

Regular prices ..... 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c  
Sale prices ..... 2½c, 5c, 6¼c, 7½c, 9c

### Ladies' Neckwear Half Price

Jabots, Fichues, Cascades, Chemisettes, Sailor Collars and fancy Ribbon Novelties.

Neckwear that sold at 25c and 35c, each ..... 15c  
Neckwear that sold at 50c and 75c, each ..... 25c

### Ribbon Bargains

Every odd piece and short length in the stock, wide widths in plain and fancy ribbons, good colors, that sold up to 35c a yard, per yard ..... 10c

### Embroidery Remnants Half Price

Hundreds of yards of finest embroideries, all kinds and widths, in good useful lengths. They all go in this great remnant sale at... **JUST HALF PRICE**

### Basement China Glassware

5c thin blown Glass TUMBLERS, at only each ..... 3c  
20c Imported China CUPS and SAUCERS, at only each ..... 10c  
20c Imported China DINNER PLATES, at only each ..... 10c  
50c Imitation Cut Glass BERRY BOWLS, at only each ..... 25c  
50c fine GLASS PITCHERS, new designs, at only each ..... 25c

### SPECIAL SALE OF Oriental Rugs

The Morradian Bros. of New York, the native importers of Oriental Rugs, will be with us for about ten days. We desire to recommend them as being absolutely reliable. Their experience of 17 years' rug dealing in this country and their lifetime knowledge of rug weaving, in all its details, in their native land, place them among the few experts in this country who are really capable of distinguishing between the imitation and the

#### GENUINE ORIENTAL RUGS

The superb collection that will be shown here contains some rare pieces that cannot be found in any other collection in this country or in Europe. You are cordially invited to inspect these beauties of the Orient in our

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT, 3rd Floor

Prices are very reasonable. Come and see.

### DRAPERIES HALF PRICE

(THIRD FLOOR)

Odd Lace Curtains, worth up to \$1.25 pair. To close out, each ..... 35c  
Printed Serims, in short lengths, worth 25c. To close out, per yard ... 12½c  
Scotch Madras, remnants only, worth up to 50c. To close, at per yard ..... 25c

### GREAT HALF PRICE SALE Ladies' Coats and Suits

All the Coats and Suits offered in this sale are this season's styles. Take advantage of this great Half Price sale to anticipate your wants for early fall.

Coats that sold at ..... \$10.00 to \$35.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... \$5.00 to \$17.50  
Suits that sold at ..... \$10.00 to \$45.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... \$5.00 to \$22.50

### Muslin Underwear Half Price

Gowns, Skirts, Combinations, Princess Slips, Corset Covers and Drawers. A big assortment but only one or two garments of a kind.

Garments that sold at ..... 50c to \$6.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... 25c to \$3.00

### Hosiery Half Price

Ladies', children's and infants' stockings. Small quantities of our best makes.

Stockings that sold at ..... 25c, 35c and 50c  
Half Price sale, pair at ..... 12½c, 17½c and 25c

### Underwear Half Price

Ladies' Vests and Drawers, Children's Vests, Drawers and Union Suits, Infants' Vests.

Garments that sold at ..... 15c to \$1.25  
Half Price sale, each ..... 7½c to 62½c

### Lace Remnants Half Price

Remnants of novelty laces, wash laces, nets and allovers, also dress trimmings. All short lengths of this season's best sellers, go in this sale at

**HALF PRICE**

### Basement Dry Goods

15c Ladies', Children's and Men's Hose, at only per pair ..... 8c  
Figured and plain Crib Blankets, worth 50c, at only each ..... 39c  
\$1 Bath Mats, all colors, at only each ..... 69c  
36 inch L L Unbleached Muslin, worth 7½c, at only per yard ..... 5½c  
8c Unbleached Shaker Flannel, at only yard ..... 5½c  
8½c Apron Gingham in all colors, at only yard ... 6½c

### MILLINERY

LESS THAN HALF PRICE

Stylish Trimmed Hats, all colors, worth up to \$7.00, choice each ..... \$1.00  
RATINE OUTING HATS, special each ..... 95c  
Children's Trimmed Hats, sold at 98c to \$2.50, choice each ..... 49c, 98c  
Our entire stock of Untrimmed Shapes, in burnt and black straw, choice each ..... 50c, 98c

### 108 ENTERED IN FIRST FIELD MEET

First Inter - Playground Track and Field Meet Comes Saturday, July 13

#### CLASSES DIVIDED BY MEET

Junior and Senior Events in Evening; Midgets and Boys Workin the Afternoon

The first Inter-Playground Track and Field meet is to be held at the Copeland Park Playground, Saturday, July 13. Entries closed last evening at the various playgrounds and judging from the number of these the meet promises to be an unqualified success. Entries have been received to the number of 108, the greatest number coming from Copeland Playground where the meet is to be held. Work is progressing rapidly on the new track at the North side park and it will be given its first test this coming Saturday.

This meet is the first of a series of meets to be held between the different playgrounds of the city during the summer months. The next meet, which is to be held July 20, will be on the South side.

The meets will be divided into two parts; one part to be held in the afternoon for the midgets and boys, the second part in the evening for the Juniors and Seniors. The afternoon meets will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock, the evening meets at 7 o'clock.

Four places are given for points: First place, five points; second place, three points; third place, two points; and fourth place one point. Prizes will be given to the winners of the first three places. The prizes, which are ribbons, are now being exhibited in the windows of The E. R. Barron Co. and Dotlinger's.

Classification of men flows: Midgets, 85 pounds and under. Boys, 86 to 115 inclusive.

Juniors, 116 to 130 inclusive. Seniors, 130 pounds and upwards.

An athlete will be given in athletic costume, minus shoes. The scales will be set at the weight specified for each class, and a competitor raising the beam so that it touches above shall be ineligible to compete. Athletes found to be too heavy for the class in which they enter will not be allowed to compete in any other class.

The events for the various classes follow: Midgets—50 yard dash; running high jump; standing broad jump; 60 yard relay race.

Boys—75 yard dash; running broad jump; running high jump; 440 yard relay race; four potato race.

Juniors—100 yard dash; running high jump; 440 yard run; 4 yard relay race; running broad jump; pole vault.

Seniors—100 yard dash; running high jump; running broad jump; 880 yard run; pole vault; shot put.

That the meet will be a fit one is easily seen from the following: Lee Griffin, the normal 11 who broke three records in the city meet, is entered in the senior division in the high jump, 100 yard dash and broad jump.

O. Strum, a crack athlete who in high school, is entered in the same division in the 880 yard run, the pole vault and the mile.

R. Harris, who makes the 100 yard dash in 10 2-5 seconds is presenting the Copeland Park playground in this event.

Rasmussen is bound to show speed in this same event as are also Lee and Clow.

C. Beranek of Hood street playgrounds can run the potato race in great style and the other playgrounds will have to hustle to take his event.

#### FORBID ROBBER PICTURE

PARIS, July 12.—The Prefect of Police in many parts of France is forbidden the moving picture exhibition of the exploits of the Bant Bonnot and his band, on the ground that it would tend to stimulate imitators.

#### SCHOOL BUILDING, DRESSBACH MINNESOTA.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a brick and tile school building, including all labor and material, except heating and plumbing, will be received by the School Board in the Villa of Dressbach, Minnesota, until 6 o'clock of 10 a. m., on the 15th of July, 1912.

All bids must be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Percy Dwight Bentley, architect, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, which may be had on application to the Builders' Exchange of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and also at the Clerk's office at Dressbach, Minn.

A certified check for two percent (2 per cent) of the amount of bid payable to the order of Mr. Chas. Zisch must accompany each bid as a guaranty, the same to be returned to the unsuccessful bidder immediately on the letting of the contract.

The party to whom the contract is awarded will be required to give a satisfactory bond of fifty per cent (50 per cent) of the amount of the contract for the faithful performance of the contract.

It is the intention of the Board to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, but the right to accept any or reject any or all proposals is reserved.

(Signed) CHAS. ZISCH, Clerk of the School Board.



# STATE IS FIELD OF WHITE SLAVER

Department of Justice Officials Working on One of Biggest Conspiracies Discovered

## LA CROSSE NOT EXEMPTED

Territory About Gateway City Has Been Visited by Special Agent on the Trail

That Wisconsin has been an unusually fertile field for white slavers and that hundreds of girls taken from the rural districts have been placed in resorts in the cities is one of the revelations of representatives of the Department of Justice who have been working on what promises to be one of the biggest white slave conspiracies ever brought to light.

That the territory around La Crosse has not been exempt from the illicit operations of the "gang" is another startling fact revealed by a special agent who but recently completed investigations into the disappearance of several young girls whose homes were in this part of the state. During the course of his work he made several visits to La Crosse but owing to the policy of the Attorney General's department in the running down of the slavers refused to state whether or not arrests would be made here.

### First Step Taken.

According to the special agent, however, the recent sentencing in Milwaukee of Sam Dagesello, an Italian, to three years in Port Leavenworth penitentiary for placing a Ruby Roser in a disorderly house, was one of the first steps towards cleaning up the alleged gang and the comparatively light sentence which he received was in return for valuable information which he is said to have divulged to the government operatives.

The first intimation that an organization, the purpose of which was traffic in women, had been perfected, came recently following the arrest in that city of Frank Pedone, aged 22, an Italian. Pedone pleaded guilty to the charge of placing Margaret Felski, a Milwaukee girl, in a house of ill fame.

When first placed under arrest Pedone took the matter lightly and was immediately communicated with by one of Chicago's best known and ablest Italian attorneys. He was in constant communication with the Chicago lawyer, and daily received advice from him.

Believing that Pedone could procure such assistance only through the influence of others, the federal authorities started working on the theory that there was a gang. Their investigations, declares the special agent, who visited La Crosse, took them to Chicago where they unearthed information as to the headquarters and members of the gang which, when made public, will prove highly sensational. Influential and prominent Windy City Italians are said to be parties to the conspiracy and in the event they are arrested furries in financial and commercial circles will follow.

### Pleading Guilty.

Following the Chicago investigations conferences were held between the government men and Pedone and soon after this Pedone consented to plead guilty, throwing himself on the mercy of Federal Judge F. A. Geiger. He was sentenced to three years. What he told, the Special Agent naturally declined to discuss.

While confined in the Milwaukee county jail awaiting trial, says the Special Agent, Pedone's cell was in such a position that he could communicate with Lagesello. Despite the fact that in public or before the jail authorities they professed to be strangers it became known that once alone they talked in their native tongue. What they discussed the agent refused to divulge but admits that it was through these jail talks that the government secured information which will prove invaluable in the running down of white slavers and the solving of the mysterious disappearance of several girls from the western part of Wisconsin.

The crime with which Lagesello was charged, declared the Special Agent in La Crosse Sunday, was one of the best illustrations of how the gang operates and is in itself almost conclusive proof that there is an organization, well financed and that the gang has any number of helpers distributed in various Wisconsin cities, towns and villages.

### Many Spotters.

Ruby Roser, the girl whom Lagesello placed in a resort, lived on a farm in the southern portion of the state. She was comely and shapely and her segregation from city life made her more susceptible to the wiles of a handsome stranger. How the Chicago white slave dealers heard of her is a mystery, as it is in every case where a young girl is lured from her home. That the

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## SPECTACLE FAKER APPEARS AGAIN

Rural Districts Around La Crosse Suffer from Victims of Fake Glasses Fitters

Fitting eye-glasses is an old calling and it has always been replete with fraud. Do you remember the gross of green spectacles with copper rims and shagreen cases in "The Vicar of Wakefield" that Moses brought home from the fair?

Like medicine eye-doctoring has an ugly heritage. It has to live down its past. And, unfortunately, the past is very well represented in the present. It besmirches those who have anything to do with the eyes. The counters of the 5 and 10 cent store and the obvious fakers who go about the country are the crudest survivors. The fakers are clever. You cannot always distinguish the earmarks. Their perceptive minds are forever at work on schemes to frighten or hoodwink.

But you can keep fairly clear of them by never buying glasses at a fair or from strangers, who appear at your door, no matter what their credentials may appear to be. Respectable men have established places of business and stay there.

Lately a stranger called on the farmers on the St. Joseph Ridge, carrying a costly leather hand bag filled with articles usually carried by a lady of refinement, and supposed to have been lost along the road and picked up by this stranger. He would ask for a drink of water and incidentally show his find, in which was a pair of glasses, inclosed in a fine silver case.

He had no use for the glasses, but the case he prized for his wife's glasses. The farmer tried the glasses and if he could use them the stranger would get from three to five dollars for the supposed gold glasses.

He would then wander along and put a new pair of glasses in the case and stop for a drink at the next farm house.

Several farmers were fooled by this clever faker.

Still another faker with professional cards has been faking the farmers up on the Sand Lake Coulee.

His scheme is a "free examination," which is only a guess and several children are sufferers from this fakers visit.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin.—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Kabat, late of the city of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to A. A. Fessler, of La Crosse, Wis., notice is hereby given that six months after the 18th day of June, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1912.

By the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON,  
Attorney for Estate.

## WORRY SHORTENS LIFE

ENGLISH WOMAN AT 108 SAYS HARD WORK AND NO TROUBLE KEEPS PEOPLE YOUNG

LONDON, July 12.—Lack of worry is the secret of longevity, according to Mrs. Rebecca Clark, the oldest woman in London, who is receiving a flood of congratulatory letters having attained her 108th year.

"Contentment is my idea of elixir of life," she said. "But, along with it go early rising, hard work and total abstinence. I also find that motoring is a good thing, if you can afford it. I always feel about ten years younger after a motor drive. I am looking forward with pleasure to a long run through the country this summer."

Mrs. Clark's sight is so well preserved that she can thread a needle without the use of glasses. Her hearing is also excellent. Owing to the stormy weather Mrs. Clark spent her birthday indoors in her little cottage at Wood Green. She rose, as is her custom, at a very early hour, and ate a hearty breakfast. After lunch she sat by a window and watched the children play in the street, while her younger relatives went to sleep. She enjoyed her birthday cake in the evening with childish zest.

## JOYFEST HOLDS TOWN

AARAU DEDICATES CREMATORY WITH GRAND MUNICIPAL SPREE AND A BIG BLOWOUT

GENEVA, July 12.—The town of Aarau, metropolis of the canton of Aarau, had the giddiest time of its history in dedicating its brand new \$30,000 crematory.

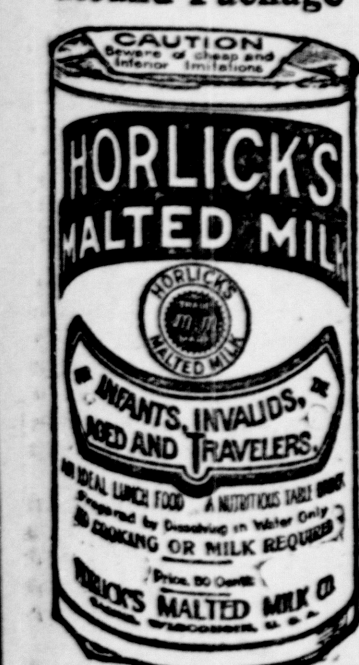
Following the formal opening of the edifice, whose architect, by the way, was a Herr Froelich (Mr. Jayful!) the 9,000 inhabitants gave themselves over to an afternoon and night of feast and frolic. First there was a big banquet in the principal hotel at which the leading citizens pointed with justifiable municipal pride to the great dome of the new building towering over the town's most beautiful park, called the "Rose Garden". In the evening the townsfolk settled down to enjoy themselves in a form of amusement known as a "gemuetliche vereinigung", the nearest approach to which is, perhaps, an Irish wake, and which usually lasts from 9 p. m. until daylight. On this occasion, however, the ringing of the school bells next morning found many of the revelers still at it.

Striking waiters now seeking their old places have discovered tardily that lowering the tray beats raising the deuce.

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conspiracy includes hundreds of "lookouts" or "spotters" who masquerade in the cities and small towns under the guise of respectability is another theory or branch of the conspiracy which is being investigated.

Lagesello is the man, declares the agent, who was picked to "get" simple Ruby Roser. Lagesello, now at farm work, never-the-less secured a job on an adjoining farm and soon made the acquaintance of the green country girl. His relations with her were those of a lover. He talked of love and the days when they would be married. But while he pictured love rosy his most brilliant colors were used in painting in Ruby's mind of life in the city. He told her of the Great White Ways, of an easy life where it was all play and no work, where money flowed like the champagne that was drunk and silks and satins, finer than her best Sunday dress, were worn every day. He told her of the life where night was changed into day and day into night, of the countless admirers she would have anxious to throw themselves and their purses at her feet. And Ruby, the trusting country girl that she was, to use the vernacular of the street, "fell for it."

The rest was easy. A quiet night when her parents were away, a trip to the nearby railway station and a ride for Milwaukee. There she was placed in a cheap rooming house by Lagesello and later inveigled into a resort to enter upon a life of shame and degradation and which, even if she tried, it would be almost impossible to leave.

But the government's men are constantly on the lookout for such cases as that of the Roser girl and from a mysterious source secured the "tip" which resulted in the arrest of Lagesello and the subsequent freeing of Rosy. She was returned to her parents on the little farm in southern Wisconsin, a sadder but wiser Ruby.

While in La Crosse Sunday the Special Agent also admitted that his department had been furnished with names of a number of Western Wisconsin girls, most of them products of the rural districts, who had mysteriously disappeared. These disappearances, he said, were being kept quiet while Uncle Sam is using every power available to trace them and bring to justice the men suspected of being responsible for their disappearance.

"Why did you call your boat Rumor?" "Because I wanted her to keep afloat."

### GAME WARDENS EXAMINED.

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—The promotional examination for game wardens was concluded Tuesday. The utmost secrecy has been maintained in giving the test, all the wardens in the state being present in the examining room. The state civil service commission has been co-operating with the state game warden for the last three years with the idea of increasing the efficiency of the staff. The wardens were notified of the examination over a year ago and were told that their future advancement in the service depended largely upon the showing there to be made.

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 Lot 5—\$4 and \$4.50 grades go at **\$3.35**  
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### SPORTING NEWS

#### LOCAL BOYS ON NEBRASKA TEAM

Bond, Weigent and Meinert of Outcasts and Other Minny Players Stand-bys of Superior

A glance at the lineup of the Superior, Neb., baseball club reveals the fact that several former Minny leaguers are playing on that team, three of the Outcasts and two Rochester players being with that club. In their last game, Superior beat out York by the score of 8 to 7 in ten rounds and it was said that the new players greatly strengthened the club. Bond, former manager of the Outcasts, is playing second base, Charlie Weigent, appears at short-stop, Dutch Meinert is in center field, Manager Lizzette of Rochester is behind the bat, and Dreis, Rochester third baseman, is stationed in right field.

With five Minny league players in the lineup, Superior won from York. Bond played the role of fence buster, getting a three bagger and a home run in four times up. Meinert made one hit in three trips to the plate and Weigent got a swat in four times up. Dreis is also hitting well, the former Rochester player making two bingles in five attempts. Lizzette failed to hit one safely. All the men played good fielding games although Weigent made three errors but he handled the remaining six chances without a mistake.

#### CHICAGO AUTO CLUB TO MANAGE RACE

CHICAGO, July 12.—That the Chicago Automobile club has undertaken the responsibility of directing this year's Elgin road races, abandoned by the Chicago Motor club, was the announcement to Fred W. Jencks, manager of the Elgin Automobile Racing association, today. Jencks stated that the Automobile club will be given full power to solicit entries and manage the races and that the Elgin association will assume all expenses and liabilities and furnish the prize money.

Jawn Titus, in his 95th or thereabouts year in baseball, has become speedy enough to lead off for the Boston Beane. He got on five times in five trips up, by the clean hit route.

#### CUBS TAKE THIRD FROM THE GIANTS

Sheckard's Homer in the Eighth Inning Puts the Game on Ice for Chicago, 11 to 7

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
 Chicago, 11; New York, 7  
 CHICAGO, July 12.—The Cubs made it three out of four in the series with the Giants, the Chicagoans winning yesterday, 11 to 7. Wiltse was knocked out of the box in the second and Lavender was benched in the sixth when the Giants had the bases full, one run across and none out. Cheney finally retired the visitors, but not until they had chased in five tallies. The Cubs won the game in the eighth when Sheckard put one in the right field seats for a homer. The game was loosely played, New York making four errors and Chicago three. Score:

**Score:**  
 New York . . . 000205000—7 11 4  
 Chicago . . . 02004005x—11 10 3  
 Batteries: Wiltse, Crandall and Meyers; Lavender, Cheney and Archer.

**Cincinnati, 3-2; Brooklyn, 2-3**  
 CINCINNATI, July 12.—After winning nine straight games from Brooklyn the Reds dropped the second contest of the double header to Dahlen's men yesterday, 3 to 2. They took the first game, 3 to 2. Score:

**First game—**  
 Brooklyn . . . 010000010—2 8 2  
 Cincinnati . . . 00002010x—3 8 0  
 Batteries: Ragon, Kneizer and Miller; Fromme and McLean.

**Second game—**  
 Brooklyn . . . 011010000—3 8 0  
 Cincinnati . . . 000000002—2 7 2  
 Batteries: Stack, Rucker and Phelps; Benton, Keefe, Davis and Clarke.

**St. Louis, 9; Boston, 6**  
 ST. LOUIS, July 12.—The Cardinals won a loosely played game from Boston yesterday, 9 to 6. Konetchy got two hits in three times at bat. Score:

**Score:**  
 Boston . . . 303000000—6 12 2  
 St. Louis . . . 40310001x—9 10 2  
 Batteries: Taylor, Dickinson and Rariden; Steele, Sallee, Dale and Bliss.

the hitting of Jackson and Livingston. Score: R H E  
 Cleveland . . . 201102111—9 15 1  
 Washington . . . 10000200—2 8 3  
 Batteries: Steele and Livingston; Ebgle, Henry and Williams.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
 Louisville, 4; Milwaukee, 2  
 MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—Kroh baffled the Brewers yesterday while the Colonels bunched hits and took the last game of the series 4 to 2. Score: R H E  
 Louisville . . . 300100000—4 9 1  
 Milwaukee . . . 010000010—2 6 1  
 Batteries: Kroh and Ludwig; Nicholson, Hovlik, Marion and Schalk.

**Kansas City, 7; Indianapolis, 3**  
 KANSAS CITY, July 12.—Kansas City found Hixon easy in the early rounds and defeated Indianapolis 7 to 3. Score: R H E  
 Indianapolis . . . 001000020—3 5 0  
 Kansas City . . . 41020000x—7 11 2  
 Batteries: Hixon and Ashenfelter; Gallia and O'Connor.

**Toledo, 2; St. Paul, 1**  
 ST. PAUL, July 12.—Toledo won a pitchers' battle from St. Paul yesterday, 2 to 1. Score: R H E  
 Batteries: Falkenberg and Land; Karger and Murray.

**Minneapolis, 5; Columbus, 1**  
 MINNEAPOLIS, July 12.—Cy Young was in fine form yesterday, holding the Senators to four hits and the Millers pounded out a 5 to 1 victory. Score: R H E  
 Columbus . . . 000100000—1 4 1  
 Minneapolis . . . 00100121x—5 12 0  
 Batteries: McQuillen and S. Smith; Young and W. Smith.

#### MAY CALL OFF BIG AIR DERBY

CHICAGO, July 12.—The American grand circuit aviation races recently slashed from 1,180 to 1,000, may be called off altogether, according to an announcement made here today by the executive committee of the Aero Club of America. Unless the Chicago Aero club comes to the rescue, according to the A. C. A. there will be no aerial race over the central west this year.

Lack of sufficient funds was given by the national body as the reason for its action. But \$48,000 has been pledged for the event. One hundred thousand dollars was needed for the prizes also. The only cities to respond to the call for funds were Chicago, Dayton, Detroit and Akron. O. Directors of the Chicago club will meet within a few days to discuss methods for raising money to promote the derby.

**CORBETT'S TEACHER DEAD.**  
 NEW YORK, July 12.—Walter Watson, known as an instructor in boxing, is dead at his home in this city. He became famous years ago as the man who discovered and brought out Jim Corbett, when the former heavyweight champion was but a youth in San Francisco.

#### STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York . . . . .	57	16	.781
Chicago . . . . .	43	28	.606
Pittsburg . . . . .	42	29	.592
Cincinnati . . . . .	39	37	.513
Philadelphia . . . . .	31	37	.456
Brooklyn . . . . .	29	44	.397
St. Louis . . . . .	29	48	.372
Boston . . . . .	22	55	.286

American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston . . . . .	53	25	.679
Washington . . . . .	48	32	.600
Chicago . . . . .	43	32	.573
Philadelphia . . . . .	42	33	.560
Cleveland . . . . .	40	39	.506
Detroit . . . . .	39	39	.500
St. Louis . . . . .	21	53	.284
New York . . . . .	19	52	.268

American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus . . . . .	59	29	.670
Toledo . . . . .	55	32	.632
Minneapolis . . . . .	53	34	.609
Kansas City . . . . .	44	44	.500
Milwaukee . . . . .	40	51	.440
St. Paul . . . . .	37	53	.411
Louisville . . . . .	33	51	.393
Indianapolis . . . . .	32	58	.355

Wisconsin-Illinois League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Oshkosh . . . . .	40	36	.606
Appleton . . . . .	39	26	.600
Racine . . . . .	39	28	.582
Wausau . . . . .	35	32	.522
Rockford . . . . .	32	33	.492
Green Bay . . . . .	32	34	.485
Aurora . . . . .	25	39	.391
Madison . . . . .	22	45	.328

**YESTERDAY'S GAMES**  
**National League**  
 Chicago, 11; New York, 7.  
 Philadelphia, 0; Pittsburg, 0;  
 (called in first inning, rain.)  
 Brooklyn, 2-3; Cincinnati, 3-0.  
 St. Louis, 8; Boston, 4.  
**American League**  
 Chicago-Philadelphia, no game;  
 called in first inning, rain.  
 Detroit-New York, no game; rain.  
 Cleveland, 9; Washington, 3.  
 St. Louis-Boston, no game; rain.

**American Association**  
 Louisville, 4; Milwaukee, 2.  
 Minneapolis, 5; Columbus, 1.  
 Kansas City, 7; Indianapolis, 3.  
 Toledo, 2; St. Paul, 1.  
**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
 Racine, 8; Rockford, 6.  
 Wausau, 5; Appleton, 3.  
 Aurora, 5; Madison, 2.  
 Green Bay, 2; Oshkosh, 1.

**GAMES TODAY**  
**National League**  
 Boston at Chicago.  
 Brooklyn at Pittsburg.  
 New York at St. Louis.  
 Philadelphia at Cincinnati.  
**American League**  
 Chicago at Philadelphia.  
 St. Louis at New York.  
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 Indianapolis at Milwaukee.

Louisville at Kansas City.  
 Toledo at St. Paul.  
 Columbus at Minneapolis.  
**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
 Madison at Aurora.  
 Rockford at Racine.  
 Oshkosh at Green Bay.  
 Appleton at Wausau.

#### O'BRIEN MAY MEET AD.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Young Jack O'Brien, the clever Philadelphia lightweight, has signed a contract with Manager Billy Gibson of the Garden A. C., to appear in three bouts before Labor day. Gibson has not announced O'Brien's opponents, but it is known they will be selected from a list including Ad Wol-gast, Joe Rivers, Willie Ritchie, Packey McFarland and Jack Britton. Gibson rates O'Brien a coming champion contender.

#### T. R. EXPLAINS HIS STAND ON ELECTORS

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 12.—Because of the charge of certain republican leaders that he personally was advocating violation of one of the chief tenets of the new progressive party, Col. Roosevelt this afternoon expressed his position on the disputed electors in the primary states.

"Every honest elector in the direct primary states," he said, "must vote for me or not run for elector at all. Mr. Taft is not the nominee of the republican party. He is the fraudulent nominee of the Barnes, Penrose, Guggenheim regime which nullified the wish of the great majority of the republicans of the nation."

Roosevelt said that Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, had told him that he was going to resign and throw his fortunes with the colonel. "I told him," said Roosevelt, "that this is a crusader's fight and he said he should carefully consider everything before acting."

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT**  
 State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.  
 Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:  
 The application of George Cook for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Wesley Cook, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.  
 By the Court,  
 JOHN COSTLEY,  
 Register in Probate.

Terry Turner slammed out four hits in as many times up against the Washington pitchers.

#### USE OF WATER SAVING FALLS

Rescue of Beautiful Horse-shoe Curve Planned by Government Experts

Withdrawal of water from the Niagara River, for the purpose of generating electrical power, is preserving rather than injuring Niagara Falls, according to a committee report presented at the recent meeting of the National Electric Light Association at Seattle.

The explanation is that the enormous flood has slowly worn away the ledges, until within recent years a spot of soft limestone has been reached, almost in the center of the Horseshoe cataract. A V-shaped notch has been guttered out, which is eating its way back into the rock at the rate of five feet a year.

The suction caused by this receding channel is injuring the beauty of the cataract by drawing water away from the sides and concentrating it in the middle, and fear is expressed that the Horseshoe Falls will eventually contract into a narrow whirlpool rapids.

In 1908 Major Keller, in charge of the survey of Niagara made by the War Department, suggested that further injury might be prevented by constructing a submerged dam in the river just back of the danger point. This would deflect the current toward the sides, thus saving erosion at the notch and at the same time improving the appearance of the Falls near shore.

The work was declared to be feasible, but owing to the expense involved no steps have been taken so far to carry it out. Meanwhile, according to authority quoted, the withdrawal of a fraction of the stream above the Falls for power purposes, although inappreciable so far as the appearance of the cataract goes, lessens the enormous pressure at the apex and reduces wear at the middle of the beautiful horseshoe curve.

Fortunately, diversion of water cannot be carried to excess. Rigid limits have been set by the lately negotiated Canadian-American waterways treaty, so that, except for the effects of Nature itself, the grandeur of Niagara is safeguarded for the future.

The Cubs made it three out of four from the Giants in a free-for-all go as you please rough house game. Lavender and Wiltse were both batted out of the box and Evers was canned, to add to the excitement.

#### TO MAKE NAVAL OFFICERS SWIM

Department to Require All Men to Keep Up Standard of Efficiency in Water

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Numerous drownings of naval officers during the last few years, has led the Navy department to adopt a new plan for increasing the swimming ability of its men. A new form for reports on ship inspection has just been issued, with space for a report on the percentage of officers and crew who are able to swim five minutes without exhaustion, and how many are able to swim completely around the ship without evidence of fatigue.

Swimming has long been included in the curriculum at the Annapolis Naval Academy, and great pains are taken to make the young officers at home in the water. But the suspicion has been growing lately that few officers keep in practice. This led the Academy authorities recently to require a higher standard of efficiency in swimming tests of graduates, so high in fact, that last month several midshipmen were refused diplomas because they failed to meet the tests. It is now proposed to make the swimming standard even higher, and to require officers at sea to keep in practice. As yet no specific orders to this end have been issued, but it is hoped by the Navy Department that ship's pride will stimulate officers and men to greater aquatic exercise, in order to prevent any bad entry in the inspection reports.

Another innovation in the inspection report hits at ships where officers and men, in their anxiety to lead in the "maintenance allowance" competition—a race to see which ship can make a record for cheap maintenance—have permitted the vessels' fittings or equipment to deteriorate, rather than have their economy record marred by expensive repairs. The new inspection forms require a report by the inspecting officer whether repairs have been "unduly spared to the detriment of the vessel's serviceability."

Clyde Milan hit 'steen for three good ones.

Cincinnati fans saw a nice exhibition of control in the first game with Brooklyn. Fromme issuing the lone pass during nine innings.

Zimmerman put the game on ice for the Cubs when he drove in a couple with a homer in the eighth. Some men believe in the golden rule, and others get through life on brass.



# Our Girls—Rosie Has a Narrow Escape—Oh So Narrow!

By "Veve Perry"



## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Blacksmith. L. O. Kiruse, West Salem. 6 5 tf

MEN WANTED to handle freight during season of navigation. Wages 33c per hour. Open shop. W. J. Conners, 85 Reed street, Milwaukee, Wis. 6 25 tf

WANTED—Dairy farm hand. Apply at 105 Main St. 7 8 13

WANTED—Messenger boy, 16 years or over. Western Union Telegraph Co. 7 11 tf

WANTED—Experienced screw machine hand and assemblers. At National Gauge and Register Co. 7 9 12

WANTED—Expert cutter to take charge of the cutting department, cash and door factory, out of town. Address K 3, Tribune. 7 12 17

WANTED—A man to travel with manager in Wisconsin. Must be single, sober and hustler. Expenses advanced. For information call Corcoran Hotel. Mr. Wittgen. 7 12 13

MILL MEN WANTED—Pliers at \$2.50 per day, wheelers \$2.25, common laborers \$2.00. Willow River Lumber Co., New Richmond, Wis. 7 12 18

WANTED—Shoemaker at Jensen's, 208 South Third street. 7 12 12

WANTED—Bricklayers. August Gutke, 323 South Sixteenth. 7 12 tf

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

EARN A DOLLAR AN EVENING writing postals at home. First supply of cards and particulars to start work for dime. H. Hamblin, Station A 517, Grand Rapids, Mich. 7 10 12

## WANTED

Girl for general housework. Permanent position. 303 North Twelfth street.

WANTED—A girl at the Chinese laundry, 409 South Third street. 7 10 12

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 7 12 15

WANTED—Waitresses. Hotel La Crosse. 7 12 16

WANTED—Experienced girl, at 515 South Fifth. 7 10 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, at 710 Vine street. 7 2 tf

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WANTED—Girls, steady work. Pamperin Cigar Co., 113 South Second. 7 11 tf

WANTED—Girl at the Milwaukee house, 201 Vine street. 7 1 tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework, at 818 King street. 7 6 tf

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A two story brick house, cheap. Inquire 1211 South Eleventh, second floor. 5 21 tf

FOR SALE—A good sized second hand safe, grocery store fixtures, including new Stimpson scale. Address S. H., care of Tribune. 6 20 tf

CENTURY—The best \$25 bicycle made. Weis Book Store. 6 29 7 28

FOR SALE—Soda fountain and restaurant outfit. Inquire at Baltimore restaurant. 4 15 tf

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, and a six room house, both in good repair, on one large lot, five minutes' walk from postoffice. A bargain. Address 88, care of Tribune. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant feeding 200 people per day, fine location, cash trade; all modern. Will take \$350 for quick sale. Have other business out of city. Address X X, care of Tribune. 7 12 18

FOR SALE—Large reservoir flower vase, beautiful design, at half price. H. A. Trepte, 121 South Front. 7 11 17

FOR SALE—Bakery, best location in town; fixtures and oven in first class order, doing good business. Reason for selling, poor health. Price \$1,200. Address Bakery, care of Tribune. 7 11 19

FOR SALE—Fine tan and white fox terrier dog, nicely marked, one year old; good watch dog and house broke. 822 Hood street. New phone 1258-A. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—A Detroit vapor gasoline stove, three burners, extra oven with glass door. Cost \$22, will sell for \$10. Also Haviland China toilet set. Inquire 1202 Charles St. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—Cook stove, good condition 1515 Johnson. 6 22 tf

RESORT PROPERTY AT A BARGAIN—A delightful spot on the Mississippi, one mile north of Victory, on Burlington railroad. Seventeen acres, good house and barn, boat landing; picturesque spot and rare scenery. Will be sold right. Terms cash or one-half of purchase price on time. Address J. Henry Tate, Viroqua, Wis. mon wed fri

FOR SALE—Fine pianos. Purchasers can have six months music lessons free. Pianos tuned. A. Ruhoff.

FOR SALE—Surrey, cheap if taken at once. J. G. Jaekel, 1100 S. 6th. 7 9 13

FOR SALE—Gas stove, baby carriage, go-cart and machine. Inquire 406 North Fourth. New phone 916-M. 7 11 tf

FOR SALE—25 foot launch, 10 H. P. Gardiner engine, speed 14 to 18 miles hour. First class condition. Cheap. 113 North Third. 6 29 tf

FOR SALE—Modern house, cheap this month. Address "House," Tribune. 7 11 17

FOR SALE—Must sell my entire flock of White Leghorns and Black Minorcas, heavy layers, in lots of 5 or 10, 85c each. A. M. Ivey, West Salem, Wis. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—One set of surgeon's tools. Call up New Phone 97. 7 9 13

FOR SALE—Almost new kitchen cabinet complete, \$20 value, at \$10. 813 South Eighth street. 7 10 16

FOR SALE—One truck wagon, two seated buggy, one saddle and farm tools. Inquire at T. Kroil, 1234 Rose. 7 10 16

FOR SALE—Residence, 1420 George street. New phone 916-M. 6 25 tf

FOR SALE—Pleasant little home, 816 South Tenth; partly modern. Inquire 414 Cameron avenue. 7 6 tf

FOR SALE—Lot on Main street, fine residence location. Cheap if taken soon. Address 88, care of Tribune. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE—Dray outfit. Call 1720 Jackson. 7 6 12

FOR SALE—Oak sheaving, counters, and show cases, cheap. Address 564, care of Tribune. 6 6 tf

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, suitable for one or two ladies. 717 Vine. 6 19 tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 618 Cass street. 5 20 tf

FOR RENT—Small modern flat for two people, \$13 per month, including hot water heat and gas range. 403 North Eleventh. C. N. Hawley. 7 12 17

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 202 North Sixth. 7 12 18

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, centrally located. Apply at 103 South Eleventh. 7 12 14

FOR RENT—Furnished room for single gent. 612 King St. 7 9 12

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house. No furnace. J. G. Jaekel, 1100 South Sixth. 6 18 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house, with bath, 410 Cameron Ave. \$16. Phone 706-A. 7 8 13

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, No. 1101 State, after July 1. Fred Dittman. 5 29 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 604 South Fifth street. 7 10 12

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, gas and electric light. 1331 Vine. Inquire 1337 Vine. 7 3 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 211 No. 7th St. 7 9 15

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1013 Vine. 7 11 17

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, in the rear. 925 Vine street. 6 20 tf

FOR RENT—Ten room house. 223 Division, only \$15. 5 25 tf

FOR RENT—Five room modern house. Inquire H. N. Landphair, eye specialist, 533 Main. 5 22 tf

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping or for men. 331 North Seventh. 7 11 13

FOR RENT—Modern brick-veneered dwelling, very desirably located. The Burke Agency, Room 4 Bata-vian National Bank building. New phone 194-R. 7 11 tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 1116 Main street, rear of lot, water, gas and electric light. Inquire 1122 Main street. 6 6 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 105 South Sixth. 6 10 tf

FOR RENT—Nice furnished rooms. Modern. 916 Vine. 4 3 tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy or lease, modern eight or ten room house with barn or garage, west of Twelfth street and north of Cass street. For full particulars address P. O. Box 470. 7 11 12

WANTED TO BUY—Chicken coop, must be warm and in good condition. Address O. O. Tribune. 7 11 12

WANTED—Children's sewing; very reasonable. 1626 Market. 7 6 12

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

MONEY LOANED on furniture; no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 22 tf

WANTED TO BUY—A delivery horse. Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 5 23 tf

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114 No. 5th. Phone 1202-R

## Lost

LOST—Hound eighteen inches high. Black and tan, white breast and feet, tan head, white triangle on back of neck. Return to 1010 Mississippi. Reward. 7 8 13

LOST—Gold cross pin and black bow tie. Return to Tribune. 7 10 12

LOST—July 4, at or near the Milwaukee depot on North side, a ladies' gold watch, initials I. M. H. Return to police station No. 2. 7 6 12

## Business Chances

PARTNER WANTED—Good honest partner with \$1400 to buy half interest in good paying manufacturing business. This will pay salary of \$125.00 per month and half of profits. Will stand closest investigation. Call 400 So. 3rd St. 7 9 12

## Wanted

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for old carpets. La Crosse Rug and Renovating Co., 109 Main. 6 19 7 18

Architects, Superintendents  
ANDREW ROTH—Successor to Schick & Roth, Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

Funeral Directors  
MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

Financial  
LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION is a savings bank; \$10 a month becomes \$1,000 in 86 months. 7 11 tf

## Found

FOUND—Black and white shepherd pup. Owner may have same by calling at 508 North Ninth and paying for this ad. hh 12 15

## THE DAILY MARKETS

Fruit  
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)  
Oranges, Cal., 150-216.....\$3.50  
Oranges, 250-288 brand.....\$2.25  
Lemons, 300-860 box.....\$5 to \$5.60  
Bananas, bunch.....\$1.25-1.75  
Walnut dates, box.....\$1.20  
Persian dates, per pound.....\$1.50  
Pineapples, Florida, crate.....\$3.50  
Onions, yellow, per crate.....\$1.50  
Onions, Crystal wax, crate.....\$1.60  
Cabbage, large crate.....\$3.50  
Messina lemons, box.....\$5.50  
Watermelons.....\$2 to 25c  
Peaches, bushel.....\$2.50  
Plums, bushel.....\$2.50  
Peaches, 4 basket crate.....\$1.25  
Potatoes, old, bushel.....\$1.10  
Potatoes, new, bushel.....\$1.60  
Cantaloupes, crate.....\$5.00

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs.....\$6.85 to \$7.10  
Steers.....\$3.00 to \$3.50  
Spring lambs.....\$7.00  
Sheep.....\$3.00  
Cows.....\$2.00 to \$4.50  
Helfers.....\$2.50 to \$4.75

Poultry  
Chickens.....12 to 13c  
Turkeys, pound.....12 to 14c  
Ducks, pound.....11c  
Geese, pound.....9c

Provisions  
Lard, per pound.....12 to 12½c  
Shoulders, per pound.....11c  
Hams, per pound.....14½ to 15½c  
Bacon, per pound.....14½ to 18c  
Dry beef, per pound.....17 to 20c

Butter and Eggs  
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery butter, pound.....25 to 27c  
Dairy butter, pound.....22 to 24c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen.....18c  
Eggs, seconds, dozen.....15c

Flour and Feed  
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, per barrel.....\$5.90  
Straight.....\$5.70  
(Prices do not include sacks.)  
Bran, per ton.....\$25.00  
Shorts.....\$26.00  
White middlings, per ton.....\$29.00  
Red Dog.....\$30.00

Grain  
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)  
Barley.....70 to 90c  
Corn.....65 to 73c  
Oats.....50 to 55c  
Wheat.....90c to \$1.05  
Rye.....75 to 78c

Cheese  
(Quoted by Hy. Andereg)g  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases.....14c  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases.....14½c  
Fancy full Cream Twins.....15½c  
Fancy full Cream Limburger.....17c  
Fancy full Cream Swiss round.....22c  
Fancy full Cream Swiss Block (old).....22c  
German Hand Cheese, per box.....20c  
Primo, per pound.....7c

## FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks.  
NEW YORK, July 12.—At the opening of the stock market a moderate demand coupled with an absence of supply was sufficient to cause an early show of strength, but the gains were not long maintained.  
11 a. m.—A little more activity was shown in the first hour, and although the business was concentrated in a few hands, the tone held steady.  
Governments unchanged; other bonds steady.  
Noon—Nearly all of the speculative interests was attracted to the appearance of pressure against St. Paul, which forced the price of that stock down to 100%, the lowest price in five years.  
2 p. m.—St. Paul continued under pressure, and sustained a further fractional loss, selling more than two points under its final of yesterday. The stock market closed firm.

New York Money  
NEW YORK, July 12.—Money on call 3¼ per cent.  
Time money 4¼ per cent for six months.  
Bar Silver: London 27¼d; New York 60c.  
Demand sterling 4.8735.

Kansas City Livestock  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 12.—Cattle—Receipts 1,000; market steady; steers none; cows and heifers \$3.50 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders \$3.00 to \$6.00; calves \$4.00 to \$7.50.  
Hogs—Receipts 2,500; market steady; bulk \$7.35 to \$7.50; heavy \$7.40 to \$7.50; medium \$7.40 to \$7.50; light \$7.00 to \$7.50.  
Sheep—Receipts 1,500; market steady; lambs \$7.00 to \$7.60; ewes \$3.50 to \$4.10; wethers and yearlings \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Chicago Livestock  
CHICAGO, July 12.—Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; market slow. Mixed and butchers, \$7.05 to \$7.67; good heavy, \$7.15 to \$7.65; rough heavy, \$6.95 to \$7.15; light, \$7.15 to \$7.65; pigs, \$5.40 to \$7.30.  
Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; market steady. Beeves, \$5.60 to \$9.70;

Chicago Grain Letter  
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Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; market weak. Native, \$3.25 to \$5.00; western, \$3.65 to \$5.30; lambs, \$4.25 to \$7.60; western, \$4.60 to \$7.70.

Chicago Produce  
CHICAGO, July 12.—Butter—Extras 25c; firsts 24c; dairy extras 25c; firsts 23c.  
Eggs—Prime firsts 18½c; firsts 17c.  
Cheese—Twins 15½ to 15½c; Young Americas 15½ to 16c.  
Potatoes—\$1.10 to \$1.15.  
Live Poultry—Fowls 13 to 13½c; spring chicks 14c; ducks 9c; geese 12c; turkeys 12c.

Barley and Flax  
Minneapolis barley 45 to 95c.  
Minneapolis flax \$1.91 to \$1.90.  
Chicago barley 55c to \$1.10.  
Duluth flax \$1.94.

Chicago Cash Grain  
CHICAGO, July 12.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.05 to \$1.07 1-4; No. 3 red \$1.03 to \$1.05 1-2; No. 2 hard \$1.04 to \$1.06 1-2; No. 3 hard \$1.00 to \$1.04; No. 3 spring \$1.02 to \$1.07.  
Corn—No. 2 white 79 to 79 1-4c; No. 2 yellow 74 1-2 to 75 1-4c; No. 3, 73 to 73 1-2c; No. 3 white 77 1-2 to 78 1-2c; No. 3 yellow 74 to 74 1-4c; No. 4, 69 to 70c; No. 4 white 75 to 76 1-4c; No. 4 yellow 71 1-2 to 72 1-2c.  
Oats—No. 3 white 49 1-2 to 50 1-2c; No. 4 white 48 1-2 to 50 1-4c; standard 49 1-2 to 51 1-4c.

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Dresser Scarfs, size 20x50 inches, made in a variety of dainty lace centers.

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Small lot of children's summer vests and pants, including fast dyed black pants for small children. Values to 29c, at

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Small lot women's white and black 12 button length silk gloves, with double tipped fingers; values to 75c, Saturday, to close

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Men's Balbriggan summer weight knee length drawers. All 50c values, to close, choice

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We have just received a large shipment of those ideal cool summer lawn dresses. The styles are exceedingly dainty and striking; materials are in an unlimited variety of pretty colorings and figured effects in blue, black, lavender, grey and pink. Various styles, including the sailor collar and tie or low neck effects. Trimmed in contrasting colors and embroidery. All high waist line and panel back skirt.

Rare  
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**98c**

## Underwear

Women's summer union suits, several different styles. All 50c and 59c values, Saturday to close, choice

**39c**

## Neckwear

Choice all women's neckwear, jabots, ribbons, flowers, collars, etc. All new and fashionable. Saturday, choice

**HALF PRICE**

## Pennants

Small lot all felt pennants, 6 x 24; letters sewed in felt. Variety of colleges. Choice Saturday, to close

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Women's fine cloth rubberized light weight tan Rain Coats. All seams cemented and stitched, guaranteed water proof. Very practical, priced all sizes—

**\$5.00**

Our large table of Children's Dresses, Women's black and colored Petticoats, Aprons, Children's "Tudor" Sleeping Suits, Corset Covers and Drawers, values to 50c, to close, choice—

**25c**

## FOR THE FISHERMAN'S OUTFIT

## JOINTED RODS

Fine Cane Jointed Fishing Rods, three joints, brass ferrules and tip, a fine strong, cheap rod, each ..... **25c**

## FISHING TACKLE

Fish Line, fine cotton in 15 foot lengths, priced each at only ..... **1c**  
Spoon Hooks, fine fluted bait spoons with three feathered hooks, each ..... **2c**  
Kirby Fish Hooks, sizes from 12 to 1, 10 for ..... **1c**  
Floats, fancy painted, at each ..... **1c**  
Reel, 25 yard Brass Reels, well made, priced at each ..... **10c**

10 Lbs. Best Granulated SUGAR For ... **49c**

With Grocery Order of 50c or over

Lenox Soap, 10 bars for ..... **30c**  
Fancy Rice, ..... **8c**  
Fancy 60-70 Prunes, per lb. .... **10c**  
Cream of Wheat, per package ..... **14c**  
Breakfast Cocoa, per lb. .... **25c**  
Soused Mackerel, per can ..... **18c**  
Royal Scotch Herring in tomato sauce, at per can ..... **20c**  
Large Kipperd Herring, per can ..... **20c**  
Fresh Mackerel, per can ..... **20c**  
Corn Flakes, 2 packages ..... **15c**  
Pure Extracted Honey in quart Mason fruit jars, each ..... **35c**  
Grape Juice, per bottle ..... **15c and 23c**

Fancy Sliced Dills, per glass ..... **20c**  
Pure Lard, per lb. .... **13c**  
Picnic Hams, per lb. .... **13c**  
Breakfast Bacon, per lb. .... **17c**  
Summer Sausage, per lb. .... **15c**

"ANDROCK" OVEN AT.... **50c**

Perfect Oven at a Remarkably Low Price

Here is the Ideal Oven for summer use, and for use in the spring, the fall and winter, too. Place it on top of a gas burner, light up and it is ready to bake pies, biscuits, or puddings; as an iron heater it has no equal. It is a dandy bread toaster, and it bakes potatoes or cooks small roasts to a "T"—and all of this with the minimum amount of gas and no wasted heat. It is a thoroughly practical little oven that will save its cost many times over. The introductory price

**50c**

"Mason" Fruit Jars

Very best grade, well known "Mason" Fruit Jars sold at prices that are not duplicated in the city.

Pints—per dozen only ..... **37c**Quarts—per dozen only ..... **47c**Half Gallons—per dozen ..... **67c**Men's  
Summer  
SuitsWorth up to \$25  
Saturday**\$12.95****\$4.00 Boys' Suits,  
Saturday \$1.98**

Boys' light weight suits, showing various light or dark patterns. All sizes, 8 to 16 years. Values to \$4.00, extra special, choice Saturday

**\$1.98**

Fashionable dark or light shades of grey and tan, also blue serge. All well made and perfect fitting, such well known brands as "Hirsh Wickwire" and "Clothcraft." Values range up to \$25, choice Saturday

**\$12.95****Men's 25c Four-in-  
Hand Ties** Satur-  
day at 14c

"Cheney Bros." silk poplin reversible four-in-hand ties, showing various plain colors. Excellent 25c values, Saturday, choice

**14c**

Choice of our entire stock Men's Straw Hats. Values to \$3.00. Saturday to reduce our stock, choice ..... **\$1**

## DOERFLINGERS

COLONIAL FOLKS  
WERE ILLITERATE

People of Massachusetts in Early Days Were Best Educated and in Virginia Least

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Some of the experts of the bureau of education have been putting in the hot days this summer examining the signatures of old documents of Colonial days to see how many of our forefathers could write their own names. They found an astonishing amount of illiteracy among our best people—that is, astonishing to us in these days of compulsory education, but not so astounding considering the difficulties of getting an education 200 years ago.

After counting nearly 100,000 signatures and marks, the experts found that the people of Massachusetts were best educated, and those of Virginia least. The New York Dutch and the Pennsylvania Germans were above the average in education.

In Massachusetts 11 per cent of the men who attended legal papers made their marks instead of signing. In the middle of the seventeenth century 58 per cent of Massachusetts women could not write their own names. By the end of the century this percentage had fallen to 38.

In Virginia of over 2,000 men who signed jury lists in the seventeenth century 40 per cent made their marks and of over 12,000 who signed legal papers 40 per cent made their marks.

An examination of legal papers filed by Pennsylvania Germans showed that 26 per cent of the men were illiterate. Among the Dutch of New York illiteracy declined from 40 per cent in 1675 to six per cent in 1738.

In all the colonies women possessed the scantiest educations. In Virginia 76 per cent of the women were illiterate; in New York 60 per cent, in Massachusetts 58 per cent.

## BOND LAW NETS \$46,000.

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—During the first year of the operation of the stock and bond law of Wisconsin, which ended yesterday, the state has received fees totalling \$46,277.30 from public service corporations, accruing from an assessment of \$1 for each thousand dollars of the face value of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness.

## KAUFMAN COMING BACK.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—Al. Kaufman, once a white hope, will try to get back into the limelight here, July 31. Kaufman today is matched by Eddie Graney to go 20 rounds with Charley Miller, a giant motorman.

COMPILE FIGURES  
ABOUT BUSINESS

America Second in Amount of Negotiable Paper; England Leads with 28 Billion

PARIS, July 12.—The Society of Statistics has just made public these facts concerning the world's business:

In negotiable paper there is in all the world, in round numbers \$163,000,000,000 divided among the countries as follows: England, 28 billion dollars; United States, 26 billion; France, 21 billion; Germany, 18 billion; Russia, 6 billion; Austria, 5 billion; Italy between 2 and 3 billion; Japan, 2 billion, other countries 7 to 9 billion.

There are in the world 614,924 miles of railway. Of these, 315,147 miles are in North and South America; 203,246 in Europe, the remainder, about 95,000 miles, in Asia, Africa and Oceania. The average value in Europe, per kilometre (five-eighths of a mile) is about \$80,000. In the other countries the average is but \$43,000.

International commerce at the end of 1910 is valued at from 26 to 27 billion dollars; public debts (European) contracted in war preparations are over 30 billion dollars; the annual war debt is over a billion. In conclusion M. Alfred Neymarch, who compiled the figures says:

"Never were there more negotiable papers. Never was the international commerce figure higher. Never was there a greater number of miles of railways in exploitation. Never were the commercial relations of the peoples of the world more active. Never were the public debts bigger; the war budgets larger, or taxes so high. Never was the taxpayer more heavily burdened."

HUBBY'S PALS WIN  
HIM FROM WIFE

CHICAGO, July 12.—"Men, when you go out for a night with the boys be sure your friends are single. Else, according to Municipal Judge Heap, you may lay yourself open to a fine for alienating some husband's affections."

The judge fixed a precedent when Mrs. Michael O'Leary caused the arrest of John Flynn and charged him with "stealing her husband."

"My husband Mike is never home," said Mrs. O'Leary, glaring wrathfully at the defendant. "Since Mike met this Flynn person he's out every evening and on Sunday I don't see him at all. Flynn has alienated his affections."

To prove Mrs. O'Leary was right the judge assessed Flynn \$15 and costs.

MONEY IS PLENTY  
SAYS DR. WILSON

Democratic Nominee Declares Party Will Not Need Contributions of Interests

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 12.—That plenty of cash will be available to run the democratic campaign, and that there will be no need of accepting contributions from "interested parties or corporations," was the declaration of Governor Wilson yesterday. The democratic candidate said he was greatly pleased on opening his mail to find many letters containing one dollar bills from workmen and women who wished him every success and who contributed "their mite" for the cause.

To date the governor has received about \$2,500. The largest contribution was \$500, while there have been some of \$100, others of \$50, and numerous tens, fives, twos and ones.

A conference which is expected to have an important bearing on the coming campaign, will take place here next Saturday, when Speaker Champ Clark of the house of representatives will confer with the man who defeated him for the democratic presidential nomination. Governor Wilson today telegraphed Speaker Clark that Saturday would be convenient for the contemplated visit and immediately afterward received a telegram saying that the speaker would arrive on Saturday afternoon.

LONDON SCENE  
OF DOCK RIOT

LONDON, July 12.—Strike-breaking dock workers were again furiously attacked when they left the Surrey docks for luncheon today. Sympathizers with the striking transport workers' union greeted them with showers of stones, by which several men were seriously hurt. The attacking party did not give ground when rushed by the police and the riot raged during the entire noon hour. On both sides there were many casualties.

## CHICAGO GOLFERS GO

CHICAGO, July 12.—The pick of Chicago golfers will leave tonight in a special car for Denver where they will enter the thirteenth annual Western Golf association, amateur championship tournament to open on the "mile high links," July 15.

## TAFT SIGNS BILL

WASHINGTON, July 12.—"William H. Taft" was written today by the president on a baseball for Umpire Silko Loughlin, at the request of Representative Riley of Connecticut. It was the same ball which Taft threw out in opening the season here.



# "FOLLOW THE SEARCHLIGHT" TO THE BIJOU TONIGHT

AND SEE A PROGRAM OF FOUR FEATURE PICTURES  
**BIG FEATURE SUNDAY**  
"AN ARABIAN TRAGEDY"  
STAGED IN THE SAHARA DESERT.  
WE GUARANTEE TO KEEP YOU COOL

## M'GREGOR, IOWA.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clinton, of Prairie du Chien, spent Sunday with Mrs. Clinton's father who is seriously ill.

Farmersburg ball team came over Sunday to play the Cubs. An exciting game was played, the score being 2 to 6 in favor of the Cubs.

Mrs. Jake Phillips and Mrs. Ida Kicherer attended the funeral of their uncle, Mike Knapp, on Pleasant Ridge Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Luce have been visiting Mr. Luce's brother at Waukon Junction.

Peter Kinley had the misfortune to have his auto bus burned between here and North McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Robbins and family have returned from Sheffield, Minn.

The following officers were installed by the Rebekahs Friday night: N. G. Francis Anderson, V.

### PILES

My method for curing Piles, Fistula and Rectal Diseases is the greatest in the world. No knife, no chloroform. No unnecessary delay from business. An absolute cure guaranteed in every case.

**PAY NO MONEY UNTIL CURED.**

The cure first, then the pay. That's my policy. It's fair and square. I also give written guarantee that the cure will last a lifetime. Write for Free Book which gives full particulars.

**DR. F. R. WESTON, SPECIALIST,**  
MAIN ST., LA CROSSE, WIS.

G. Mary Bickel; Recording Secretary, Della Gray; Financial Secretary, Marie Walter; Treasurer, Odilda Walter. After installation refreshments were served.

Mrs. G. McDowell and baby departed Wednesday for Gay Mills and other points in Wisconsin for an extended visit.

G. Donaldson, the electric light man, has replaced one of his engines with a new one.

Miss Freda Gebhart, who has spent the past year at Town City, returned last week for her annual vacation.

Mrs. Barry Gilbert of Iowa City arrived for an extended visit at the parental home.

Miss Vella Gebhart, of Giard, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Turner.

Fred Phillips, Miss Dora Caster and Miss Aletta Holmes spent a day at Giard attending a home picnic.

The Misses Kate and Pauline Heck, after a years teaching in the east, arrived Saturday to spend the summer with their father and sister.

Mrs. Ernst Ranstrow had the misfortune to fall from a buggy, breaking both bones in one of her limbs. She was taken to the Clark hospital.

Mrs. J. D. Bickel and daughter Irene went to La Crosse Tuesday to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Melhop of Dubuque have been visiting Mrs. Melhop's parents.

Mrs. Ann Kenyon and daughter Jess arrived home from Great Falls, Mont. the fore part of the week.

Edwin Grupp and friend have,

returned to their home at Milwaukee after a pleasant visit with Mrs. L. Bergman.

Mrs. Van Duser and daughter of Rock Island are guests of her mother Mrs. Peter Walter.

Mrs. J. Leibold returned to her home at Mason City Wednesday morning. Her sister Clementine Welter accompanied her home.

Prof Robert Reno and his sister Mrs. Evans and daughter Ruth of Elkader are guests at the C. W. Bean home.

Miss Francis Wilson of Mason City has been the guest of her sister, Miss Bell Wilson.

Mrs. Geo. McReynolds and children have returned from a visit to the McReynolds' home at Postville.

Frank Duerer, assistant city engineer at Burlington, Iowa, has been spending the past week with his mother.

Miss Rachel Udegaff and Miss Katherine Bengtson spent Wednesday in Dubuque.

### CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned take this means of thanking the relatives, friends, neighbors, Woodmen of the World, Woodmen Circle, E. F. U., pallbearers, singers, master plumbers, the La Crosse Plumbing Supply Co., Rev. W. Adelbert Billings, and Mr. Wm. Dwyer for the assistance, sympathy and flowers accorded us during the death of our beloved husband, father, son and brother. Mrs. William A. Downs and Son. Mr. and Mrs. Major Downs and Family. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Baker and Family.

## LAUNCH WARFARE AGAINST DISEASE

Wisconsin to Participate in Great International Health Congress

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 13. (Special.)—At a meeting of the Wisconsin Committee, held in Milwaukee today, plans were perfected for the participation of this state in the International Congress on Hygiene, to be held in Washington in September.

"It is expected," according to the secretary, Dr. T. L. Harrington, of Milwaukee, "that this congress will have a tremendous influence in improving the health conditions under which we live, and in directly reducing the number of deaths and cases of preventable illness. When the International Congress on Tuberculosis was held in 1908, nothing had been done up to that time in combating consumption in Wisconsin. The splendid accomplishments that have come about directly in fighting the White Plague, will undoubtedly be duplicated in the other preventable diseases which include typhoid, pneumonia, the contagious diseases of childhood, diarrhoeal diseases of infancy, etc."

Amongst the Wisconsin agencies which will participate in the Congress, are the State Board of Health, the Dairy and Food Commission, the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, the State Industrial Commission and various other organizations.

The committee, which consists of Drs. C. A. Harper, Madison, T. L. Harrington of Milwaukee, Hugo Reich of Sheboygan, Mrs. Julian Kurtz of Milwaukee and Mr. J. D. Beck of Madison, is securing information upon the exact amount of space which will be made available for the Wisconsin exhibit.

The committee will attempt to make the exhibit indicate what is being done and is under way for the control of preventable disease and the reduction of industrial accidents.

### 3 DROWN IN MINNEAPOLIS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 13.—Three persons were drowned in Minneapolis yesterday, two in the Mississippi, and one in Lake Harriet. Roy Johnson, 9, waded into a hole in the Mississippi and sank. James Case, 11, a companion, grasped Johnson and tried to save him but both sank to their death. James Foley, 45, was drowned in Lake Harriet, when his canoe collapsed.

Self-denial looks good to the average man—from a distance.

## TEACHERS' WAGES PLACED TOO LOW

Average of Instructors in Public Schools Is Less Than \$500 Per Year

Both the bright and the dark sides of the American educational system are discussed by Dr. P. P. Claxton, the United States commissioner of education, in his annual review of educational conditions, soon to be issued for free distribution by the United States bureau of education.

Dr. Claxton notes that the average number of days attended by each child enrolled in the public schools increased in the first decade of this century by almost 14 per cent. Nevertheless, he points out the average daily attendance of these children is still only 113 days in the year, or less than 5 1/2 months. Assuming that this rate of attendance shall continue through the 13 school years (5 to 18) the average amount of schooling received by each child of the school population will be only 1,046 days or a little more than five years of ten school months each.

**Salaries Increase**

The average monthly salary for male teachers has increased about 35 per cent in the decade under discussion, while female teachers are getting 27 per cent more than in 1900. At the same time the average wage for public school teachers all over the country, including teachers in the wealthy cities and in the high schools, is less than \$500, about \$3 a day for the actual number of days taught, about \$1.60 a day for the actual working days of the year. In this connection, Dr. Claxton says that it should be remembered that teachers are expected to give their entire time either to the actual work in the schoolroom, to school work which must be done out of school hours, or to preparing themselves, in summer schools and elsewhere, for better service.

Clearly there must be a large increase in the salaries of teachers before we may expect the efficient service which is desirable.

### Wage Too Low

In some states the wage scale for teachers falls far below the country-wide average. Thus, Dr. Claxton observes: "In eleven states the average annual salary for teachers is less than \$400; in eight it is less than \$300; in two, less than \$250. For salaries like this it is clearly impossible to hire the services of men and women of good native ability and sufficient scholarship, training and experience to enable them to do satisfactory work." Moreover, "a very large per cent of the teachers are men and women less than 21 years old. In the country at large less than one-half have had adequate preparation for their work. In some states less than 25 per cent have had the full preparation given by normal schools and in most of the states less than 10 per cent of the teachers in the country schools have had such preparation. Few continue to teach long enough to gain wisdom and skill from experience. In several states from 20 to 30 per cent of the teachers every year are beginners. In a few states the average length of service is less than four years of six months each."

### Income Too Low

Continuing his review Dr. Claxton shows that the value of all public school property increased more than seventy-five per cent in the first ten years of this century, but that even now it amounts to less than \$40 for each child of school age. Similarly, although the income of public schools has increased more than 83 per cent in this period, still even now it is very low in many commonwealths. Thus the expenditure for public education is less than \$5 per capita in 25 states and less than \$2.50 per capita in ten states.

Dr. Claxton also remarks that the number of public high schools in this country for the period 1900-1910 increased more than 70 per cent, and that the number of high school pupils jumped more than 76 per cent. However, there is still much room for improvement. Says Dr. Claxton: "The United States bureau of education has no reliable statistics on the subject, but it is quite probable that less than half the children of the country finish well more than the first six grades, only about one-fourth of the children ever enter high school, less than eight in every 100 do the full four years of high school work. Fewer than five in 100 receive any education above the high school."

### Colleges Show Increase

As for the colleges and institutions of like grade, their productive endowment increased 65 per cent, their incomes, exclusive of additions to endowments, increased 173 per cent, their faculties grew 61 per cent, and their student bodies 67 per cent. Here, too, Dr. Claxton says that much remains to be done. "Of the four or five millions of young men and women of college age in the country, only about two hundred thousand are doing college work in standard institutions. Less than two per cent do the full four years' work and take a degree. The best interests



## The New Perfection Oil Cook-stove Suits Everybody

It suits the most exacting French chef. It suits the housewife. It is found in luxurious villas—in camps—in farms—in humble city homes. Everybody uses it; everybody likes it. It is the all-round stove for all the year round. It bakes, broils, roasts and toasts as well as a coal range. It is equipped with a special heating plate, and we sell the New Perfection oven, broiler, toaster, and pancake griddle—each specially designed for use with the

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All dealers sell the stove. It is handsomely finished in nickel, with cabinet top, drop shelves, towel racks, etc. Long chimneys, enameled turquoise-blue. Made with 1, 2 or 3 burners.

**Free Cook-Book with every stove.**

Cook-Book also given to anyone sending 5 cents to cover mailing cost.

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## PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.

The marriage of Miss Grace Ray of this city to Mr. Clayton Henning of Platteville, took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ray, Wednesday at 11:30 a. m. Rev. Mr. Zelmer, pastor of the German Evangelical church in Wauzeka officiating. The young couple will reside in Platteville.

Miss Mary Rowley leaves Friday morning to spend a month with relatives at Florence, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. David Slightam are the parents of a son, born July 9.

Miss Madeline Herold has gone to Milwaukee to visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Lasche.

Dr. P. L. Scanlon and Hon. A. H. Long are in Milwaukee as delegates to the democratic state convention.

Archdeacon W. G. Blossom of Madison will hold services at Trinity Episcopal church next Sunday at 8 and 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Miss Hazel Brokaw of Rockton is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Prairie du Chien sanitarium.

## PAY TRIBUTE TO WOMAN

DENVER, July 13.—One of the most remarkable tributes ever paid to a woman in the history of the west was paid today when all the flags in the city were half masted and the city hall and state capital buildings were closed during the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker, pioneer woman suffragist.

## NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS.

The undersigned printing committee of the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County hereby request sealed bids for county job printing and book binding for the year ending July 1, 1913, as per schedule on file in the office of the county clerk.

Sealed bids will also be received for publishing the proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors.

Sealed itemized proposals for such printing and binding will be received at the office of the County Clerk up to 2 o'clock p. m., July 17, 1912.

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County clerk in the sum of \$50.00.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish bonds for the faithful performance of contract.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated La Crosse, Wis., July 5, 1912.

L. SCHERHART,  
JOHN A. WEBER,  
F. J. BROWN,  
Printing Committee.

## NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.

The undersigned committee on buildings and grounds will receive bids at the La Crosse County Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., for the furnishing of 200 tons more or less of smokeless coal, to be delivered at the La Crosse County Court House and Jail, and 75 tons more or less to be delivered on sidetrack near the La Crosse County Poor Farm. Owner will do the hauling at Poor Farm. The coal to be delivered as needed during the season of 1912 and 1913.

The committee solicits propositions on two grades, lump or run of mine.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

PETER LEHNEN,  
GEO. J. RITTER,  
J. H. MORAN,  
Committee.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned at the office of the County Clerk in the Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m., for re-setting the boilers in the court house.

For information regarding the work to be done address the undersigned committee.

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1 Jewel Gas Range, regular \$30.00, at.....	\$24.00
1 16-inch inlaid Mahogany Waiter, regular \$10.00, at.....	\$7.50
1 14-inch Glass Nickel Rim Waiter, regular \$6.00, at.....	\$4.00

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"YOU GOTTA QUIT KICKIN' MY COW AROUND," CRY THOSE GEORGIA FARMERS



War, cool war, impends in certain sections of the erstwhile peaceful southland. The battles of the opposing forces reverberate in the quiet Georgia hills, to the great annoyance of automobilists and people in the towns generally. Many Georgia towns have passed ordinances aimed to keep cows off the street, and it looks as if the practice would soon be abolished entirely. Cow owners, however, are strenuously objecting to the new order.

### STRAUS HEAD OF ARBITRATORS' BOARD

NEW YORK, July 13.—Oscar C. Straus, formerly secretary of commerce and labor, was yesterday elected chairman of the arbitration committee which will pass on the wage dispute between the railroads in the eastern tariff associations territory, and their engineers. The committee will begin its hearings at the Oriental hotel, Manhattan Beach next Monday, and it is expected it will require several weeks to hear both sides of the wage controversy.

### MUST PROBE SHIPPING

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Talk of early adjournment of congress received another setback today when Chairman Henry of the rules committee announced that the Alexander resolution, calling for an investigation of the shipping trust, must be considered this session.

### HEAT KILLS FIFTY-ONE

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—Seven more deaths were added to the list of heat fatalities yesterday, making a total of fifty-one who have died during the present hot wave.

## RAILROAD MEN LONG IN SERVICE

Eastern Road Has 2,040 Employees Who Have Served Over 40 Years

MANY MORE THAN 50 YEARS

489 Men Have Been on the Payroll for Half Century, One for Sixty-five Years

With 2,040 active employees who have been in service forty years or longer, and with 1,572 men who served forty years or more and are now receiving pensions, the Pennsylvania Railroad has a payroll which is probably unique among those of the corporations of this country.

No less remarkable is the fact that the Pennsylvania's records show that today there are upon its payroll 489 men who have been in its service more than fifty years. One employee has been receiving pay from the Pennsylvania for sixty-six years.

### Beat Risk Records.

In making public the above figures the Pennsylvania does not say its employees are blessed with longevity, but it indicates such by the following statistics which show that it has in active service 4,717 employees who are between the ages of sixty and seventy years—Pennsylvania employees retire at seventy. A striking comparison exists between the Pennsylvania records and the Carlisle table of mortality used by insurance companies. While the latter shows the expectancy of a man twenty-one years of age to be 40.75 years, the Pennsylvania Railroad has 4,015 employees who have exceeded this.

There are living today eight Pennsylvania Railroad employees who are over ninety years of age. All of them are, of course, receiving their regular pension payments from the company.

The oldest employee is Andrew Abels, who was born May 23, 1817, and is, therefore, ninety-five years of age. He lives in Philadelphia where, prior to retirement, he was employed by the railroad as clerk.

The following are the other nonagenarians on the payroll of the Pennsylvania Railroad:

Michael Eckerline, of Altoona, Pa., born January 15, 1820. He was employed as a laborer in the Altoona shops by the Pennsylvania Railroad on February 1, 1854.

James Kaylor, of Altoona, Pa., born October 4, 1820. Until his retirement he was employed as a blacksmith in the Altoona shops, where he had worked since 1862.

Elias Griffith, of Altoona, Pa., born October 25, 1820. He served as watchman at the Altoona shops from February 8, 1866 to January 1, 1900, when the railroad's pension system became operative.

James L. Shields, of Blairsville, Pa., born January 11, 1821. He entered the service of the railroad May 1, 1854. In 1871 he was made foreman of masons on the Western Pennsylvania Division.

David L. Graeff, of Columbia, Pa., born February 18, 1821. He was a machinist on the Philadelphia Division, having been employed in June 1872.

Thomas C. Payne, of Belvidere, N. J., born November 4, 1821. He served as a laborer on the Belvidere Division from April 1, 1855 to the date of his retirement.

### Longest On Roll.

Charles A. Jefferies, of Lancaster, Pa., enjoys the distinction of having been on the payroll of the Pennsylvania Railroad longer than any other employee. He was born October 8, 1822, and in July, 1846 was employed by the Columbia and Philadelphia Railroad as a fireman. He was made engineer in 1849, and in 1883 his occupation was changed to signal repairman.

The Pennsylvania Railroad trains its employees from the rank and file. Young men just out of school or college begin their work for the company by learning the very rudiments of railroading; and there are many years of hard work before they even show their heads above their fellows, or their superiors learn whether they are fitted for promotion.

A census recently made of Pennsylvania Railroad officers gives striking evidence of the policy the company pursues in training men. Of 178 officers included in the railroad's official biographical list, 171, or 96 per cent, have been with the company all of their business life. Of the 178, those who received a college education number 84, or approximately 50 per cent. The seven cases where officers have not been in the service of the railroad the entire time since leaving school include such as required special training, which the railroad did not offer.

### A Fighting Fish.

The pla-kat, or Betta pugnax, is a Malayan fighting fish, specimens of which the natives of Siam pit against each other like gamecocks. These fish are, indeed, veritable aquatic gamecocks and are reared for the sole purpose of fighting. These fights draw large throngs of spectators and considerable coin is wagered.—Popular Mechanics.

### He Explains.

She—"What do you mean by saying that Elsa is more or less pretty?" He—"Well, she's more pretty than most girls and less pretty than you."—Simplicissimus.

### Some Day Just Try—

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## DIFFICULTY SHOWS NEED OF MEASURE

Henry Says Disability to Discover Amount of Campaign Funds Means Bad Conditions

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Contending that the senate investigating committee's inability to obtain any detailed expenditures of presidential campaign funds emphasized the necessity for a law requiring publicity before the elections of such information, Representative Robert L. Henry of Texas, in an interview today, urged the necessity for the senate passing his bill to this end.

"The senate committee's inability to get authentic information concerning use of campaign funds in the Parker-Roosevelt campaign shows the necessity for such a law as I have proposed," Henry declared. "I am not surprised that witnesses cannot recall details of money expenditures in that campaign. There was no necessity for them keeping accurate accounts."

The candidates for president and vice president owe it to the people to make an itemized detailed statement, which shall be sworn to of all contributions and expenditures used in their campaign for the purpose of influencing their elections. And such statements should be made public before the election. The bill which I have introduced and which passed the house, makes publication of detailed reports compulsory by imposing a fine of \$1,000; imprisonment of not more than one year, or both, upon all violators. The bill is now pending in the senate.

"Senators and representatives, under the law passed last year, must render an accounting of their financial expenditures. It seems to be that it is vastly more important that such a law should govern presidential and vice presidential candidates."

## THREE KILLED IN CITIES BY STORM

Minneapolis and St. Paul Struck by 84 Mile Wind Which Does \$100,000 Damage

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 13.—Three persons are dead and thirteen injured and a property damage estimated at \$100,000 are results of one of the worst storms in the history of the weather bureau here last night. The storm was confined almost entirely to Hennepin and Ramsey counties (Minneapolis and St. Paul), although adjoining counties report heavy rains. The dead:

Ralph C. Gillette, 30, Minneapolis, eldest son of L. S. Gillette of the Minneapolis Steel and Machinery company, was instantly killed by lightning at the Interlachen Golf links.

Mrs. Alma Freyer, 22, and Mary Bergman, 5, St. Paul, caught in the ruins of a collapsed barn.

The maximum velocity of the wind in Minneapolis was 84 miles an hour. During five minutes the precipitation was 5.5 inch.

The damage principally to small buildings, barns, shade trees, telegraph and telephone wires and poles, etc.

At Lake Forest forty members of the National guard in encampment there were shocked by lightning, four being rendered unconscious but not seriously hurt.

### Tennyson's Forty-Year Old Boots.

Tennyson possessed a pair of boots well nigh as long lived as those of the old farmer described by Richard Jeffries. William Allingham notes in his diary on March 2, 1881, that "Brown died at Tennyson's last night. Tennyson was in great form. He said: 'This pair of dress boots is 40 years old.' We looked at them, and I said it was good evidence of the immortality of the sole."—Lebanon Chronicle.

### He Cannot Be Found.

"I have known many cautious and persevering men," said the Office Cynic, "but I have never known one who was so cautious and persevering that he took the time to read all the fine print in a lease."

## North Side

G.M. & ST. P. TRACK ONLY ONE INTACT

Ohama, Northwestern, and Burlington Trains Use Line of Milwaukee Today

Washouts on the C. B. & Q. and the Omaha railroads caused the transferring of their trains to the C. M. & St. P. road last night and early this morning. All their passenger trains ran on the Milwaukee tracks. All freight trains were discontinued for the day and all freight conductors were put on passenger trains and piloted them through the city.

### Near Travina.

The washout on the C. B. & Q. road, caused by the heavy rainfall of last evening, occurred a short distance this side of Travina, Wis. A washout on the Omaha railroad between Merrill Junction and Camp Douglas put that stretch of the road out of commission, with the result that trains on that line were also transferred to the C. M. & St. P. tracks. The washouts could not be repaired sufficiently to allow trains to run on those tracks until about noon today. All trains were running on their own tracks after noon.

Some of the finest trains running on the C. M. & St. P., the C. B. & Q., and the Omaha and going to all points passed through La Crosse. Coast trains and others being among those which came here. One train followed another until trains were passing here almost constantly, the double tracks aiding in the transportation, as the trains were run in one direction on one track and returned on the other.

## TO ASSAIL WITNESS

COUNSEL FOR MRS. MORROW TO CONCENTRATE ATTACK ON STORY OF FORMER BOARDER IN HOME

CHICAGO, July 13.—Attorney Charles Erbstein, counsel for Mrs. Rene B. Morrow, south side society and club woman, who is on trial for the murder of her husband, today was preparing his attack on Harry Gilmore, former boarder in the Morrow home and chief witness for the state. Gilmore, on the stand at the preliminary hearing, declared he had been intimate with Mrs. Morrow, she coming to his room on several occasions.

The climax of the first day's session of the trial came late yesterday afternoon, when the state introduced as evidence the blood stained, bullet torn clothing of the dead inventor. Up to that time Mrs. Morrow had been calm, but when Assistant State's Attorney Northrup introduced the clothing and laid the garments together with the revolver that killed Morrow on the table before her she broke down and cried.

### Her Advantage.

The woman over fifty, if she's not a fool, has one pull over all men and younger women—she understands people, which the opposite sex never do, and no woman does, till she's old enough to understand herself.

### Uncle Pennywise Says.

The latest high building in New York is so high that a man was doing business on the ground floor for two years before they put on the roof.

## LITTLE KENNETH CASEY The Vitagraph Child Wonder

A BEAUTIFUL CHILD DRAMA and "FROM THE DEEP PURPLE SAGE" ARE THE FEATURES TODAY  
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## NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Halvorson of Bostwick Valley visited friends on the north side yesterday.

John Anderson came to the city from Louis Valley yesterday to remain here for a few days.

Bernard Abnet and Harry Groth leave today for a fishing trip.

William Koepeke has purchased property from William Dixon.

Frank Mickston of Savanna, who has been visiting relatives in Minneapolis is now the guest of La Crosse friends.

Miss Bell Harvest of Duluth, Minn., is visiting her sister on the north side for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith of St. Paul, are the guests of north side friends.

Mrs. Kelton has returned to her home in Rock Island after a brief visit here.

Herbert Jones of St. Paul was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Helen Johns who has been the guest of north side relatives has returned to her home at Davenport, Iowa.

Miss Hattie Smith of Kansas City, Mo., is the guest of La Crosse friends.

Miss Josie Mahoney, who has been the guest of relatives here, has returned to her home in Minneapolis.

Miss Alida Lorenz of here, left last night for Tacoma, Wash., for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Elmer Merwin and children Vira and James, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Trempealeau and Galeville, have returned to their home at 814 Gillette street.

Mrs. Eldorf who has been the guest of friends and relatives here, has returned to her home in Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman and children, who have been the guests of relatives and friends in Kendall, Wis., have returned to their home at 326 Rose street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Medwizky, 1326 Berlin street, are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Miss Hilda Casperson of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. A. T. Garley entertained a number of children at a birthday party in honor of her son, James. The afternoon was spent in playing games, after which a delicious lunch was served. Those present were: Willie and Michael Nordengen, LeRoy Bonner, Wesley Jones, Donald and Robert Eyrin, Johnny Murphy and James Farley. Miss Blanche Asselin assisted in serving.

Mrs. Collier and children, who have been visiting friends and relatives here, have returned to their home in Washington.

### Discipline of Poverty.

The very discipline of poverty makes the heart and spirit and the body strong for love. It is the poor who know the intensity of human affection—the poor and patient who have to labor and toil for that prize to the uttermost farthing which ransoms the simplest delight.—John O. Hobbes.

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## STRAGGLERS' CLUB PICKS CURRANTS

The Stragglers' club met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Longway at West La Crosse Wednesday afternoon, when a currant picking contest was held. In which Mrs. McCann won the head prize, while Mrs. H. Norcross was awarded the consolation prize. Those present were Mesdames A. Boucher, Will McCann, J. I. Staves, W. A. Wilcox, H. Norcross, W. B. Wilcox, J. W. Bidette and Mrs. J. B. Longway. The meetings will be postponed until September, when the club will hold a banquet at the home of Mrs. Will McCann.

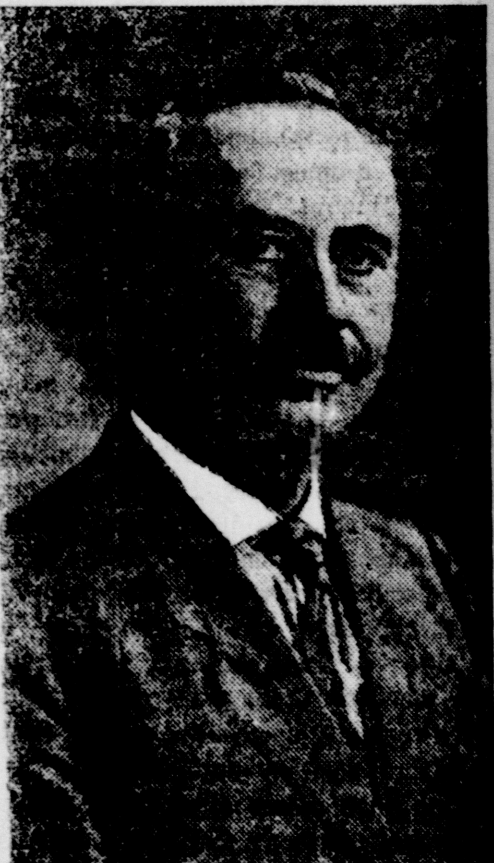
## DAY OLD BABE DIES.

The one day old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones, 937 Johnson street, died yesterday afternoon. The body was shipped this noon to Sparta, where the funeral services will be held.

### To Preserve Meat.

Any kind of fresh meat may be kept as long as wanted by being sliced and put in glass preserve jars roasting hot. The gravy should be put in, too.

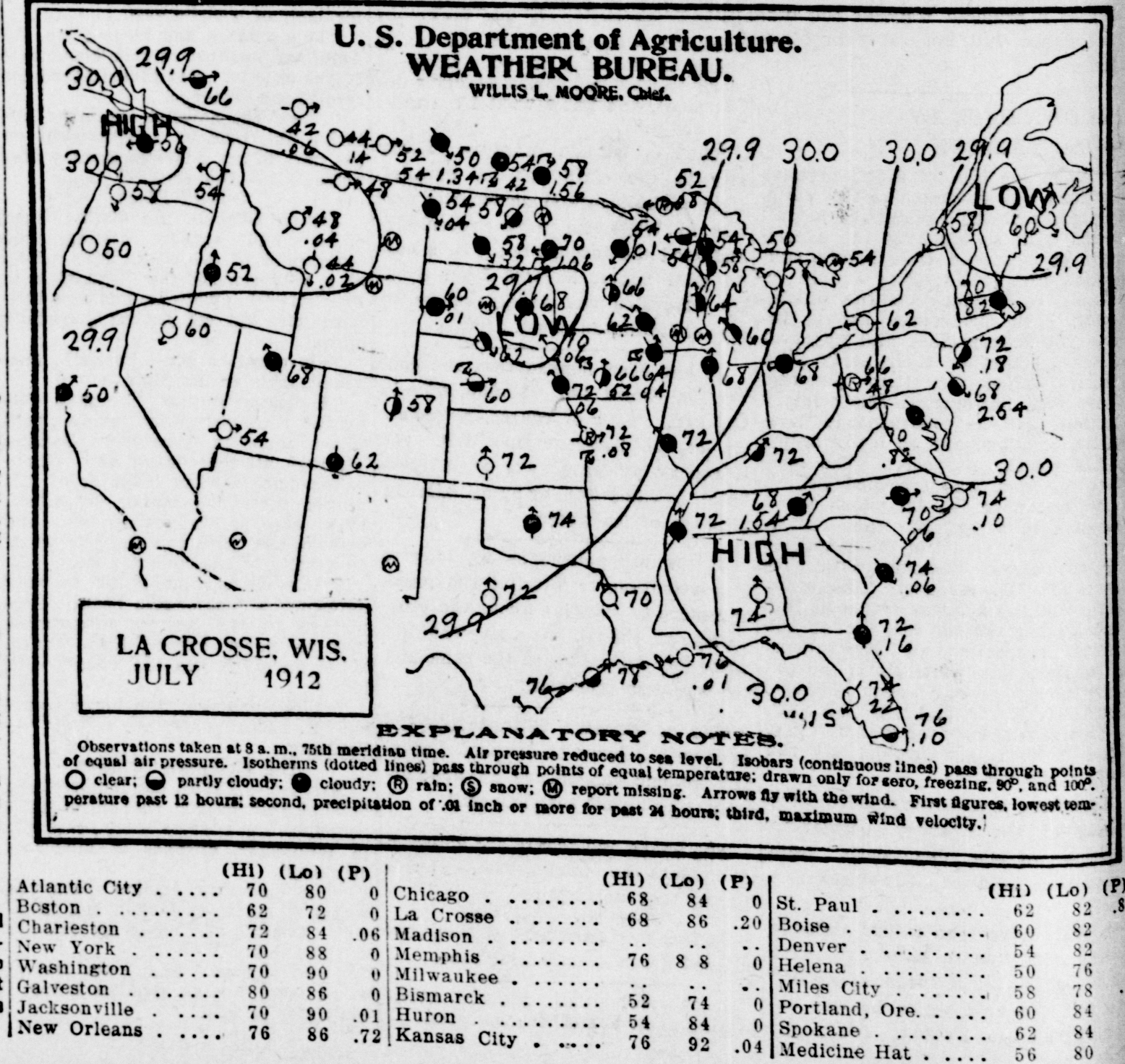
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## DOHERTY LOOKS AN EASY WINNER

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Nicholas Schmidt of Marathon City, Marquette county.

For attorney general—John F. Doherty of La Crosse and C. A. Kadig of Watertown.

Ovation for Schmitz  
Two noticeable features of the morning were demonstrations given by Senator P. O. Hustung when he finished his report of the committee on resolutions, and that given A. J. Schmitz when he took the platform during the discussion. The first was started and kept up by Dodge county delegates. The Schmitz ovation was general and lasted for a minute or more. This showed the difference in the composition of the convention on Thursday and Friday.

After Mr. Bolens  
The status of Henry W. Bolens of Port Washington, one of the men endorsed for lieutenant governor, is the same as that of Judge Karel. If the progressives succeed in defeating one, they will no doubt defeat both. Bolens is the man who made the extraordinary and financially mysterious fight against the income tax.

Doherty is expected to have easy sledding in his campaign for the nomination for attorney general.

Like Baltimore Affair  
The Milwaukee convention, in one particular, was strikingly like the Baltimore convention. In both of them the conservatives won the first fight, but in each of them the progressive strength increased with every hour until adjournment came with the progressives in full command.

In the minds of many democrats the attack made by Chairman Thomas Kearney upon the primary law was the most regrettable feature of the convention.

## 2,000 TO ATTEND INSURGENT MEET

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ice holders and legislative officials put themselves on record relative to their stand on fraternal insurance, prior to the fall elections. Woodmen today declare that they will oppose and carry on a campaign against any legislator or officeholder who takes a stand against fraternal insurance, and will support candidates who favor it. They will also introduce resolutions in opposition of the Mobile bill.

Matters pertaining to the raising of funds to carry on the insurgent fight will be taken up at the convention. It is probable that a large sum will be raised to continue the fight against the increase of rates.

## POPULATION JUMPS 74 IN TWO MONTHS

The record of birth for La Crosse for the months of May and June show an increase in population of seventy-four. The male deaths during the two months exceed the female deaths by seven while the female births exceed the male births by eleven. The record is as follows:

	Male	Female	Total
Births	36	33	69
Deaths	38	30	68
Total	74	63	137

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## STATE GOVERNOR ALLEGED GRAFTER

Executive of South Carolina Accused of Selling Pardons to Criminals

## BURNS DETECTIVES BACK IT

Wm. J. Burns Says Conditions in Southern State Are Worse Than in San Francisco

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 13.—Sensational charges of graft were made against Governor Cole L. Bleas of South Carolina today by Detective Reed of the Burns agency, before the special investigating committee of the South Carolina legislature which is holding its sessions here.

In his two years' term in office, Bleas has made a record for the number of convicts he has pardoned. The charge was made that in one case at least, Governor Bleas received \$2,000 for his executive clemency. The Bleas graft probe is the result of a legal fight between the picturesque governor and Thomas B. Felder, a prominent Atlanta lawyer and a well known politician.

Two years ago Felder began issuing statements charging Bleas with having shared in the dispensary graft and the governor replied with counter charges. For a time the controversy became so bitter that it was feared violence would result should the men ever meet.

Before the committee, Felder renewed his charge that Bleas as attorney for the dispensary commission, effected a rebating contract with a wholesale liquor house. Felder also assailed Bleas' honesty as a state senator and accused him of selling pardons as governor. He said Bleas "fattened upon graft."

William J. Burns, the detective, also testified that Bleas' official acts have been improper and said that the San Francisco graft was "insignificant compared with conditions in South Carolina."

## CITY TO IMPROVE LA CRESCENT ROAD

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fund. Alderman Roellig, in answer to their assertions, declared that if the police were "docked" for lost time they would have to be paid for overtime.

Alderman F. J. Roth said, "There are two systems in use, one by which a man is 'docked' for lost time and paid for over time and the other by which no reduction is made for lost time and no extra payment for overtime. The city cannot take the part of each system which is the most favorable to them and dock the police for lost time and refuse to pay them for overtime. It is estimated that each patrolman puts in about seventy-five days of overtime during the year and during fair week, circus days or days of celebration, they are forced to work eighteen hours a day."

Several aldermen rallied to the support of the committee report which was finally adopted by a vote of sixteen to five thus continuing the present system.

Much discussion was occasioned by the proposal to defer the improvement of Hagar, Avon and St. Andrew streets until next year. For over three years, the North Side Progressive league has been working in conjunction with the officers of the La Crosse Rubber Mills company in an effort to have these streets put in suitable condition to permit easy access to the mill. Shipments of the company have been greatly handicapped by the poor condition of these streets.

The project of improvement has been introduced several times but has always been deferred. Several of the aldermen declared that in all fairness to the Rubber Mills company, immediate action should be taken. A resolution to carry on the work immediately was carried by a large vote.

To Send Delegation  
An amendment providing for a delegation consisting of the mayor, city attorney, city engineer, a member of the board of public works and an alderman to attend the annual convention of state municipalities to be held at Wausau July 23, 24 and 25 was killed as was another amendment providing for a delegation consisting of the mayor and two aldermen. The original resolution, introduced by Alderman Mahoney to send a delegation of five aldermen, the mayor and a member of public works, was adopted.

Alderman John Downs, supported by Alderman Bert Smith, severely criticised pleasure trips of public officials at the expense of the taxpayer and said that no benefit has ever been derived from them. The majority of the aldermen decided against them.

The report of the committee on finance, recommending the closing of a contract with the J. Gordon Steele company of Minneapolis for the auditing of the city's books at a contract price of \$500, was adopted despite the fact that a local firm had submitted a bid of \$450.

Resolutions were carried as follows: For improvement of fire hoses Nos. two and five; for permission to motor boat owners of the North side to install a track at the foot of St. Cloud street to enable them to remove their boats from the water; and for the vacation of certain offices in the city hall which are to be converted to the use of the city sealer.

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## INVOLVE HANFORD IN ANOTHER CASE

Seattle Judge Is Alleged to Have Allowed \$140,000 in Fees to Receiver

## BAR ENDORSES THE JURIST

Appoint Men Defending Man Under Fire as Committee to Help the Investigators

SEATTLE, Wash., July 13.—A new line of investigation by the congressional committee was opened today in the Hanford probe, in taking up the Pacific Packing company case, in which Federal Judge C. H. Hanford is accused of having abused his judicial office in allowing James A. Kerr, as receiver, and the firm of Kerr & McCord, as attorneys for the receiver, fees amounting to \$140,000. The committee spent some time yesterday preparing to take up this case today.

Bar Endorses Hanford  
The Seattle Bar association last night by a divided vote, adopted a resolution of endorsement of Judge Hanford. At the same time the association ostensibly complied with the request of Chairman Graham of the congressional committee to appoint a committee of lawyers to assist the investigators in getting material evidence.

The bar association appointed the three lawyers who are now defending Hanford as its committee. The meeting was attended by fifteen lawyers, including Richard A. Ballinger and his partner, Alfred Battle.

A session of the committee yesterday afternoon was replete with sensations. A letter written by Judge Hanford was admitted into the record as an exhibit, showing that the judge in 1896 made the general announcement that he would not "appoint any man as United States commissioner unless he knew he was not a supporter of the Chicago platform of 1896, of the democratic party, or any of its candidates."

Representative McCoy asked William H. Gorham, ex-president of the Seattle Bar association, a witness called for the defense, whether that letter expressed proper judicial attitude and Gorham said he would not have written it.

"If the attitude expressed in that letter," said McCoy, "should be followed, then six million American citizens would be disqualified from holding any public office."

Peculiar Cocktail Taste  
That Hanford had also a most peculiar taste in cocktails was evidence brought out in the trial which is causing amusement here.

"Give me a Judge Hanford cocktail," is the reason why George A. Jacobs, a real estate man told the Hanford investigators he would produce the special tippie the jurist favored in at least nine saloons in the city. Jacobs declared the Hanford brand was a "dry Martini, with an onion in it, instead of the usual olive."

MORE HONORS TO AMERICAN TEAM  
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The finish of the 400 meter race proved the most thrilling event of the meeting. Charles D. Reithpath of Syracuse university, nosing out Hans Braun, the wonderful German sprinter, in 48 1-5 seconds, a new Olympic record. Edward F. Lindberg of the Chicago A. A., was third.

In the 3,000 meter team race the United States runners won first honors, defeating the Swedish team with England third.

As was expected the discus throw proved easy for the giant Finlanders, A. A. Traipale.

Platt Adams of the New York A. C., won the standing high jump finals at five feet three inches. Benjamin Adams, New York A. C., second; Tscilittas of Greece, third.

In the finals of the discus throw, both hands, Taipale of Finland, was first with a throw of 71 feet eight inches; Eklinder of Finland, second; Magnusson, Sweden, third.

council went on record as opposing an ordinance complying with the state law relative to the hours of selling intoxicating liquors. Alderman Marvin introduced the resolution for an ordinance prohibiting the sale of liquors on Sunday which was killed by a vote of nineteen to two.

The following resolutions were referred: To install a whistle at the pumping station to notify citizens of fire and eliminate sprinkling of lawns during fires; the installation of meters on all exterior water taps and the repeal of the flat rate for sprinkling purposes; the installation of catch basins at West Avenue and Market streets.

Committee reports on outstanding bills were submitted and approved. Among those approved of was the final payment of \$1,000 to Engineer A. T. Maltby.

The committee on the city officials' picnic reported that Dresden park has been selected for the annual outing. The members of the council and other city officials will make the trip on the Steamer Badger Thursday.

SENATE ACCEPTS BULLITT  
WASHINGTON, July 13.—The senate this afternoon confirmed the nomination of William Marshall Bullitt, to be solicitor-general of the United States.

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## BASEBALL TOMORROW

LEAGUE PARK 3 P.M.

ATHLETES vs. PRAIRIE du CHIEN

Batteries: Athletes, Fuchsel and Childers; Prairie du Chien, Kellerman and Brenner.

## 27 REPUBLICANS OF UPPER HOUSE VOTE HIM DOWN

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bate. Most of the "regulars" in the visitors' seats brought lunches. It was asserted by the anti-Lorimerites when the senate convenes that Lorimer's dramatic appeal would effect no change in the majority which they claimed would vote to unseat the senator on the ground that his election was accomplished by bribery and corruption.

Lorimer's desk was piled high with books and papers. He waited while Senator Smoot caused a round up for a quorum. Senators Kern and Lea of the minority were special

When the Lorimer case was before the senate on March 1, 1911, he was cleared by a vote of 46 to 40.

Senators who voted against Lorimer on that occasion, and are still members of the senate are: Bacon, Borah, Bristow, Brown, Burton, Chamberlain, Clapp, Clarke of Arkansas, Crawford, Culberson, Cummins, Davis, Dixon, Gore, Gronna, Jones, Nelson, Newlands, Overman, Owen, Page, Rayner, Percy, Root, Shively, Smith of Michigan, Smith of South Carolina, Stone, Sutherland and Swanson.

Present members who voted for Lorimer are: Bailey, Banwait, Bradley, Brandegee, Baggs, Burnham, Clark of Wyoming, Crane, Cullom, Curtis, Dillingham, Dupont, Fletcher, Foster, Gallinger, Gamble, Guggenheim, Heyburn, Johnston, McCumber, Oliver, Paynter, Penrose, Perkins, Richardson, Simmons, Smith of Maryland, Smoot, Stephenson, Thornton, Tillman, Warren, Watson, Wetmore.

Twenty-five senators today had the opportunity of voting on the Lorimer case for the first time.

targets for Lorimer's attack today. He strode toward them and shook his fist and bobbed his shaggy hair defiantly at his accusers, defying them to refute some of his statements.

Senator Lea stared straight at the Illinoisan, while Senator Kern fingered his watch chain nervously and once apparently considered interrupting Lorimer to reply to his charges.

Closing, Lorimer described what he said were other features of the plot against him, the charge that he was corrupt as a congressman and that he had a contract with Lee O'Neill Brown.

Plots, Declares Boss  
"These were schemes to put Lorimer in the penitentiary," the Illinoisan declared. "It was necessary to bolster up this case. My opponents hired W. F. Burns, who calls himself 'the great detective'; he put a venerable United States senator in his grave on testimony the president of the United States now believes was untrue. Until Charles White was bought by the Chicago Tribune, Glavis was given \$750 to prove Lorimer was corrupting the department."

"He did not have evidence enough so the Tribune went out and bought William J. Burns to commit perjury. They had Glavis indicted to make him hold his tongue."

"If there were no people back home demanding blood, would you turn a senator out on such flimsy evidence as is presented here?"

Lorimer dramatically crossed over to the democratic side of the senate saying he wanted to speak to the minority. He said he had lived for years in a strongly democratic com-

Just before the Lorimer vote was taken, Senator Tillman, enfeebled and wan, obtained permission to have the clerk read a statement which he said he was too weak to read personally.

"I realize now that I have little time before I must meet my maker," the statement declared. "I cast my vote today secure in the conviction that Senator Lorimer had been elected without fraud."

Continuing, the statement paid high tribute to Lorimer's character and ability. Tillman's eyes were red with tears as his testimonial was read.

munity and told how he became a republican. He denounced as false Kern's statement that he helped get employment for democrats who served him.

The senator reiterated that he was not appealing for votes and did not want support from anyone who actually believed he came there corruptly.

Lorimer ridiculed the statement that any "interest" desired his election.

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## TO DISCUSS DARK MYSTERIOUS MAN

Identity of Man Franklin Alleges Gave Him the Bribe Money to Be Probed

## THE PROSECUTION OBJECTS

Darrow Is Man They Are After, Says District Attorney, Not Dark Stranger

LOS ANGELES, July 13.—There was no session of the Darrow trial today, adjournment having been taken until Monday with the approval of both sides. Monday the question of whether testimony of Tom Johnson, an attorney, regarding certain statements bearing importantly on the case, will be admitted, will be further argued. Johnson, according to the defense, is ready to testify regarding information given him by Bert H. Franklin concerning a "dark mysterious stranger," who, Franklin says, slipped into his hand \$4,000 to be used for the purpose of bribery. The prosecution, which is combating the introduction of this testimony, points out that Johnson was Franklin's attorney at the time, and that any information given him by Franklin was a privileged statement.

The defense is basing its contention in fact that Franklin already has testified upon a portion of his communication with his attorney and that, therefore, he has waived his right to demand the counsel's silence.

The cross examination of Franklin, too, the defense pointed out, revealed that Johnson is willing to testify that Johnson, before his confession to bribery, came to him and requested that he see Assistant District Attorney Ford and offer, if given the aid of the district attorney's office and thirty days' time, to turn up the "dark mysterious man," who had passed the money.

Further, the defense asserts that he went to Ford with the proposition and Ford replied in substance: "Tell Franklin not to come to me with any story like that. Darrow is the man I want—not any 'dark complexioned stranger.'"

Darrow appeared to be in better spirits at the close of the week's work than for many days. He left the court room laughing and joking with his counsel.

state that any "interest" would purchase fifty-three votes to insure his election, when they could have purchased seven and elected Hopkins. And Hopkins, he insisted, was a "greater protectionist" than himself.

Appreciation was expressed by Lorimer for the kind things said by him of some senators. It was admitted, he said, that his private life was beyond reproach. He did not want that fact taken into consideration, such a life brought its own reward.

"My family," the senator declared, "will not desert me. They will not consider it a disgrace. My wife and children will form a hollow square about me and protect me from the world."

Much has been said about Lorimer's resignation, the Illinoisan declared. "I knew nothing more of the facts than any other senator when the investigation resolution was offered. If I had found out that one man had been bribed, I would have resigned at once. But I know the people who have followed me—night and day for twenty-five years, and I know no man cast a corrupt vote for Lorimer. Resign in the face of that belief? Resign because defeat stares me in the face? If every man who has no flag or country, this is not a chamber for cowards. A man who would resign has no place in this body. I'll not resign. My exit will not be because I am a coward."

"It will be because of the crime committed by the senate of these United States."

When Lorimer concluded it was explained by the presiding officer that the vote would be on the resolution introduced by the minority of the committee as follows:

"Resolved, that corrupt methods and practices were employed in the election of William Lorimer to the senate, and his election was therefore invalid."

In the Good Old Summer Time

Dan Cupid works doubly hard making a market for diamond engagement rings.

Hereabouts, we supply the market with rings of any and all sized stones.

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## ONALASKA CHILD DROWNS IN RIVER

August Kolwey Dies Before Eyes of Helpless Playmates in the Black River

While bathing in Black river at Onalaska at 11 o'clock this morning, August Kolwey, age 9 years, was drowned. The body was recovered at 1:45 this afternoon by several men who started to drag the river as soon as the accident was reported. The body was taken to the Smith Undertaking parlors.

August, who was the youngest son of Mrs. Anna Kolwey, accompanied by William Harnisch and Ernest Otto, two lads of the same age, went bathing below the Nichols bathhouse, opposite Onalaska, this morning. None of the boys were able to swim.

While walking about in water neck deep, the Kolwey lad suddenly stepped into a hole, sinking out of sight. He arose a moment later and made a desperate fight to regain the shore but was unable to do so and finally sank within a few feet of his helpless comrades.

William Harnisch, in an attempt to save his playmate, waded out as far as he could without going beneath the water but was unable to reach him. The boys then hurried to the nearest house, where they told of the accident. Men hurried to the scene and after dragging the river for three hours, finally recovered the body in six feet of water. Both lads were too frightened to give a coherent account of the affair this afternoon.

The body will be removed to the home of Mrs. Kolwey, where the funeral services will be held. Complete funeral arrangements have not yet been made but burial will take place at Onalaska.

## SHELBY COMPANY A HEAVY LOSER

Destruction Caused by the Storm Results in Heavy Loss to Shelby Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

The Shelby Mutual Fire Insurance Company directors held a meeting in the office of the county treasurer this morning to take up several claims filed within the last two weeks. The loss during that time has been heavier than ever before in the history of the company, owing to fires caused by lightning.

The loss in La Crosse county amounted to over \$4,000. The largest loss sustained by the company in La Crosse county was the destruction of a barn belonging to the James Barkley estate in the town of Farmington. This loss amounted to \$700. The barn was insured for \$2,000 but was only partly destroyed.

The heaviest loss was in the town of Genoa, where a barn owned by John W. Kelsey was entirely destroyed with a large amount of grain and hay. The company paid a claim of \$1,274 on this loss.

NALLY BEATEN IN TWELVE INNINGS  
Joe Nally, who twirled for the Outcasts this spring, has joined the Keokuk team of the Central association, and he pitched a wonderful game in his first appearance with that club, losing a hard slab duel to Kewanee by the count of 1 to 0.

In twelve rounds Kewanee could get but seven hits off the delivery of the former Outcast, and he set down nine of their number on strikes. He pitched a wonderful game, losing out in the twelfth when a hit, an overthrow to second on a steal which let the runner take third, and another hit scored to only tally of the day. Keok



## Women's Relief Corps

No. 2, Auxiliary to  
Wilson Colwell Post  
G. A. R. of La Crosse,  
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## SOPIA STEPHALI

Berenice Lathrop at the Piano  
IN CONCERT LECTURES  
Old Y. M. C. A. Hall  
JULY 17, 8:30 p. m., and  
JULY 18, 3:30-8:30 p. m.

## FROCK DEVELOPED IN COTTON VOILE



Here is a charming frock developed in white cotton voile, combined with a dainty design of all-over embroidery. The skirt is laid in small pressed plaits held flat by the curved sections of embroidery. These are edged with narrow Valenciennes lace and decorated with crocheted buttons. The bodice and sleeves are also plaited. The embroidery bands are outlined with heavy white Venice lace. The girdle and choux are of black mousseline.

## Domestic Hints

(From The Scotch-American)

A lump of sugar dropped into a teapot not constantly in use will prevent any mustiness.

Rugs should not be shaken, but instead hang them on a clothes line and beat them with a cane beater kept for that purpose.

To prevent cheese getting mouldy wrap it in a cloth that has been dipped in vinegar and wrung as dry as possible. Keep in a cool place.

In proportion to size the human heart is the most powerful pumping machine ever made. It throws into the arteries seven and three-quarter tons of blood daily.

It is an old custom to break a cake over the head of a newly made Scottish bride on entering her house; but we cannot say if keys were handed to her by aid of tongs or shovel.

For English fritters cut a sponge-cake into finger-lengths and soak them in cream. When thoroughly done dip each into beaten egg and fry a nice golden colour. Drain and screen with any kind of preserve.

Never hunt for a leak in a gas-pipe with a lighted match if you would avoid explosions. Instead, paint the pipe with thick soap-suds, and where there is an escape of gas it will blow up soap bubbles at the mouth of the leak.

Never hang the cage in a draft or a stiff breeze, as canaries are very susceptible to cold. Neither should it remain uncovered in a lighted room at night, as the bird's song is liable to become impaired, because of its nervous temperament.

Some one may have a ping cotton or linen dress in good condition, but badly faded. If so put a piece of Turkey-red cheese-cloth in water and boil till the colour is bright. It will dry a bit lighter than when wet and will leave an even colour all over.

To keep flies from the house dip a

# In Churches

## First German Methodist Church.

First German Methodist church, corner 7th and Ferry streets, John H. Klaus, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., E. J. Berner, superintendent. Public worship with preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Epworth League devotional meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Thursday evening the W. F. M. S. will tender a reception to Rev. and Mrs. Bunker, missionaries from Korea, to which all the members and friends of the congregation are cordially invited. German school Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00 to 11:30 a. m.

## First Congregational Church.

First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Topic, "Vacation time religion." Solos by Mrs. Manley Jackson and Mr. J. R. Kerr. This is the last service before the pastor's vacation and no public sabbath services will be held for the next four sabbaths. The Wednesday evening meetings will be held at 7:30 p. m. under the leadership of Messrs. Loomis, Nurse, Sanford, Mariner and Holley. No Bible school or evening service.

## St. Paul's Universalist

St. Paul's Universalist church, Cass and Eighth streets, George R. Longbrake, minister. No services.

## First Methodist Church

First Methodist Episcopal church, King and Eighth streets, Rev. Louis Magin, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Class meeting, B. S. Steadwell, leader. 10:30 a. m., Morning worship, sermon by the pastor. Subject, "A life of faith." Special music. Sunday school meets at noon. 7:00 p. m., Epworth League devotional meeting. Hale Stow, leader. 7:45 p. m., evening praise service. Sermon by the pastor, topic, "Something for nothing." The Misses Linse will render an instrumental trio, violin, cello and piano. Mr. Kerr will sing a solo. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors there will be given an illustrated lecture, "From Boston to Venice." This is given under the auspices of the Pastor's Bible class. About ninety views will be shown. The hymn "Abide with Me" will be illustrated with twenty-five views.

## First Baptist Church.

The First Baptist church, Sixth street between Main and King streets W. Adelbert Billings, minister. The hour for holding the Sunday school has been changed to 10 o'clock sharp and the morning worship and preaching service will be held at 11 o'clock. The theme for the morning sermon will be "The relation of the Christian to the good things of this world." The B. Y. P. U. devotional meeting at 6:30 and evening service of song and sermon at 7:30. This service will last just one hour during the summer months. Come to all these services.

## Evangelical Christian

Evangelist Association church, corner Vine St., and West avenue, H. E. Umbreit, preacher. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. A sermon at 10:30 a. m.

## Christ Episcopal Church.

Christ Church (Episcopal) Ninth and Main streets, Rev. W. Everett Johnson, rector. Services for the Sixth Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m. Morning prayer with sermon by the rector at 7:45.

## German M. E.

German M. E. church, corner of Clinton and Berlin streets, Rev. W. J. Witter, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching service at 10:30 a. m.; evening preaching service at 7:45.

## Caledonia St. Methodist Episcopal

Caledonia St. Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30; evening worship, 7:45. The pastor will preach at both services. Sabbath school at noon. Epworth League devotional service, 6:45; midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:45. Garden party at home of Mrs. Charles McCann, Wood street, Thursday.

## Scandinavian Baptist

The Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Charles and Logan streets. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m., E. A. Fors, Supt. Evening services, 7:30 p. m. All Scandinavians are cordially welcomed to all our meetings.

## Trinity Lutheran

Trinity United Lutheran church, on Avon street, Rev. L. S. Marwick, pastor. No services in church on Sunday.

sponge in boiling water and place it in a saucer. Pour on this half a teaspoonful of oil of lavender, which for some reason or other is very obnoxious to flies. The sponge requires moistening with boiling water about twice a day, with oil about once a week.

SOLON GETS THREE YEARS  
COLUMBUS, O., July 13.—State Senator Isaac E. Huffman, convicted in the Ohio legislature bribery scandals, has been sentenced to serve three years in the state penitentiary. Judge Rathmell overruled Huffman's motion for a new trial.

10:45 a. m. Evensong at 7:30 p. m. Music for the day: Venite in chant form. Te Deum, Smart in F. Benedictus, in chant form. Anthem, Rejoice in the Lord, Elvey.

## West Ave. Norwegian Lutheran

West Ave. Norwegian Lutheran church, corner West Ave. and Division street, Rev. R. Anderson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The subject taken up will be "Our Sunday school, its past, present and future." Parents and friends cordially invited. Church services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock, the parochial summer school will open, and will be conducted in half day sessions by Mr. O. F. Braaten of the United church seminary at Minneapolis. A large attendance is looked for.

## German Baptist

German Baptist church, corner 7th and Winnebago streets, E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:45. Evening service at 7:45. The pastor will preach at both services. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Thursday afternoon at 2:30 the Ladies' Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Berger, 721 Ferry street. Tuesday and Thursday at 9 a. m. German school. A hearty welcome to all the meetings.

## First Presbyterian Church

First Presbyterian church, corner King and Sixth streets, D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service, 10:30.

## First Church of Christ Scientist

First Church of Christ Scientist, King street between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday service at 10:30 a. m., subject, "Sacrament." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m. Free reading room open each week day from two to five in the church.

## English Evangelical Lutheran

Church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street, Rev. W. P. Christy, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning service, 10:45 a. m. No evening service.

## Emmanuel Church

Emmanuel church.—Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Morning service, 10:30. Young People's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

## West Ave. Methodist

West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, 917 South Twelfth street, Oscar Smith, minister. Preaching by the minister, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject, morning, "Kill the Old Man." Evening, "Who is Your Master?" Special music by the choir at each service.

## Reformed Church

Reformed church, corner Fourth and Market streets, Rev. F. W. Lemke, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. every Sunday. Sunday morning service at 10:30. No evening service during July and August.

## City Mission

City Mission, 117 North Third street, D. C. Dewey, superintendent. Sunday school at 3 p. m.; praise service at 9 p. m. Mr. George Childers will speak Monday night, teachers' training class; Tuesday night, Mr. Hanson will speak; Wednesday night, Superintendent Dewey will speak; Thursday night, Rev. Oscar Smith will speak; Friday night, Mr. George Childers will speak; Saturday night, praise service. Good singing, wonderful testimonies. All welcome. "No Creed but Christ, no law but love."

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

SUGGESTIVE QUESTION  
HELPS TO THE SUNDAY  
SCHOOL LESSON

If you would like to have answered any particular question each week from "The Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson" by Rev. Dr. Linscott, send in your request to this office, giving the date of the lesson and the number of the question you wish answered. You may select any question. Dr. Linscott will answer these questions either in these columns or by mail through this office. Don't forget to state what benefit these "Suggestive Questions" are to you. Give your full name and address. Send your letters to The Question Editor of The Tribune.

July 14, 1912.

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The seed in the four kinds of soil.

Mark iv:1-20.

Golden Text.—Receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls. Jas. 1:21.

(1.) Verse 1.—What was the particular charm in Jesus which attracted to him such great crowds?

(2.) Is preaching from a boat just as holy and acceptable to God as from a pulpit in a cathedral or a church?

(3.) Verse 2.—Why did Jesus teach in parables and what are the advantages or disadvantages of that method of teaching?

(4.) Verse 3.—In what respect is the teaching of religion like the sowing of seed?

(5.) Verse 4.—How would you regard a gardener who deliberately sowed seed on the highway?

(6.) Should a Christian sow the seed of the gospel in those hearts that are not prepared to receive it?

(7.) Verses 5-6.—What class of people are those who resemble the stony ground?

(8.) When emotional or shallow minded people hear the gospel and are moved by it are they or not as likely to develop into strong Christians as those under like influences who are not so easily moved and think more deeply? Give your reasons.

(9.) Verse 7.—What effect does preaching the gospel have upon those who will not give up their sins?

(10.) If a person is ever so much influenced by the gospel, but still holds on to some sin or sins, how much Christian fruit is he likely to bear?

(11.) How do you account for the different degrees of fruit bearing from those who answer to the "good ground" in this parable?

(12.) Verse 9.—Is it a fault or a misfortune, and why, to have dull or no spiritual hearing?

(13.) Verses 10-13.—Why did Jesus speak in parables that he knew some would not understand or would misunderstand?

(14.) What is the only way by which we may understand the teaching of Jesus?

(15.) Verse 14.—What is "the word" which all Christians must sow?

(16.) Verse 15.—What class of persons are "wayside" hearers?

(17.) Verses 16-17.—Do those stony ground "hearers" who receive the word with gladness and afterward fall away, actually get converted? Give your reasons.

(18.) Verse 20.—What reward will they who are "good ground" hearers get?

Lesson for Sunday, July 21, 1912. The Growth of the Kingdom. Mark iv:26-32; Matt. xiii:33.

## Wit of Sages, Folly of Clown, Stolen Gems from Humor's Crown.

### More Than She Could Endure

A woman in one of the wards in the Rhode Island hospital was informed she had appendicitis and would have to be operated on at once. Much frightened, she reluctantly consented and was conveyed to the operating room. One of the doctors hadmened to administer the ether and her eyes were closing languidly, when he discovered he had forgotten to inquire if she had false teeth. He quickly removed the rubber cap, and quire if she had false teeth. He said: "Have you anything loose in your mouth?" Then, as he made a move to put his hand in her mouth, she opened her eyes wildly and exclaimed: "Nothing but my tongue, doctor, and for God's sake don't cut that out, too!"

### No Job for Humans

Colonel Haj Corbett, a Kentucky orator, was up in the mountains of his native state last summer looking into the titles to certain coal lands. The task led him far into the interior, remote from the railroad, where he stayed a week as a boarder at a mountain cabin.

For three days he stood for half-melted butter and lukewarm drinking water, and then he suggested to his hostess that she buy some ice. "Whar kin I git any ice this time of the year?" she demanded.

"You could send down to Middlesboro for it," she said.

"How does Middlesboro folks git ice in the summer?" she asked.

"They make it," he said.

"Mister," she said, "the Lord himself couldn't make ice in the middle of August."

### The Small Boy Again

An old Scottish farmer being elected a member of the local school board visited the school and tested the intelligence of the class by his questions. His first inquiry was:

"Now, boys, can any one of you tell me what naething is?"

After a moment's silence a small boy in a back seat arose and replied:

"It's what ye gied me t'other day for haudin' yer horse."

### His Loquacity Was Inherited

A school teacher, who had often punished a little fellow for talking during lessons, as a last resort decided to inform his father of his son's failing. So below the conduct mark on his next report were these words: "Tommy talks a great deal." In due time the report was returned with the father's signature, and under it was written: "You ought to hear his mother!"

## CHURCH NEWS

### Find New Gold Fields.

Gold, silver and other treasures are in the Philippine Islands in value not heretofore suspected, and they have not touched to any extent worth speaking about. The Rev. J. L. McLaughlin, the Manila agent of the American Bible Society, has just reached home after an absence in the islands of twelve years, during which he has had exceptional opportunities to study conditions.

Besides the treasures of gold, Mr. McLaughlin reports new resources in the way of markets. The wants of the Filipinos are increasing. Industrial schools have been established and children are attending them. The people, barefooted for centuries, are now wearing shoes and stockings. They are also wearing shirts, collars and neckties. Manufacturing is starting up to supply these things.

### Methodists Face Serious Situation.

The secretaries of the Methodist Foreign Board, in office a month, issue a formal statement to American Methodism, stating what they find when looking over details of their new jobs, what they plan to do, and what they ask Methodists to do. With Methodists leading in the Laymen's Missionary Movement, the secretaries find receipts of the board to have fallen off in 1911 when compared with 1910, and a debt of \$172,000, one of the largest debts any mission board ever run up.

Besides, the regular debt, the new secretaries say they find \$43,000 to have been authorized by the last General Convention with nothing in sight to pay it, \$85,000 needed before November 1, for work heretofore supported by special gifts, \$50,000 advanced to Africa Jubilee and Korea Centennial funds had not yet repaid, and a decrease in gifts from last spring's conferences amounting to \$39,000. The secretaries say in their statement that they make no apology for putting things before American Methodism as they find them.

The secretaries report the naming of a committee on relief and reinforcement, with Bishop Lewis at its head.

American and British business enterprise is, at this moment, plauding China, and especially along the great water highways of the interior, with advertisements of soaps, guns, flour and almost every sort of merchandise that it is assumed citizens of a new republic will buy. It is reported that such wholesale plauding of a nation was never witnessed before. No landscape, no religion, no historic wall, hardly the graves of ancestors, are held sacred.

The China Inland Mission, with six to eight hundred missionaries in China's interior, sent out chiefly by English effort, but in part by that of the United States and Canada, refuses to be outdone by business. It is preparing and placing Gospel placards that are artistically the equal of any. Along with placards of American cigarettes, American patent medicines, and American and English ales, interior China is seeing put up Bible passages and promises.

Affairs of The Federal Council.

The Federal Council of Churches, officially representing thirty-two religious bodies, reports itself in correspondence with more than a thousand main and auxiliary cities.

When depressed by the heat and you want to freshen up for the evening, bathe the face in a lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel. You'll find this more refreshing than an hour's rest. It also smooths out fine lines, affecting even the deeper wrinkles.

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lately affected by the Men and Religion Forward Campaign in an effort toward aggressive and common Christian effort. It states that this campaign put upon it a new and large burden of harvesting results. To this end it is formulating plans, and appealing to the churches for larger support to put them into operation. The council will hold its quadrennial meeting at Chicago next December, its second, and by that time it hopes to be able to report much of the work left by the Men and Religion Campaign well in hand.

## MAY HAVE VACATION

PARIS, July 13.—The fourteenth of July this year in France may mark another revolution, that of the vacation period of school children. At present children attend school throughout the summer months, taking their holidays in the fall. The government is considering turning the schools out on July 14, the great national holiday, the fall session to begin around October 1.

## To Look and Feel Bright in Hot Weather

(From the Woman Beautiful.)  
This is the season when she who would have a rose-leaf complexion, lily-white neck and hands, should turn her thoughts to mercolized wax, the firm friend of the summer girl. Nothing so effectually overcomes the soiling effects of sun, wind, dust and dirt. The wax literally absorbs the scorched, discolored, withered or coarsened cuticle, bring forth a brand new skin, clear, soft and girlishly beautiful. It also unclogs the pores, removing blackheads and increasing the skin's breathing capacity. An ounce of mercolized wax, obtainable at any drug store, applied rightly like cold cream, and washed off mornings, will gradually improve the worst complexion.

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# NATIONAL ADVERTISED GOODS

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## AMERICANS SHOW WELL IN GAMES

All Three Places in the Hurdles and New Broad Jump Mark Go to United States

## DISCUS A DISAPPOINTMENT

Duncan, Holder of World's Record, Captures Only Third Place in the Event

STOCKHOLM, July 12.—Americans kept up their winning exhibition in the Olympics today sweeping the boards in the finals of the 110 meter hurdles, landing first honors in the running broad jump, with a new Olympic record and getting second and third places in the throwing of the discus.

Despite this showing, however, there was great disappointment over the result of the discus throw. Jim Duncan, holder of the world's record, was expected to have an easy time here, but the best he could do was to annex the solitary point that goes with third honors. Taipale, the giant Finn, threw the "dish" 148 feet, 1 1/2 inches, far beyond the best mark of the Americans.

When three American flags on the poles indicated a clean sweep in the 110 meter hurdles, the Swedes in the great stadium stands demonstrated the popularity of the victory by prolonged cheering by sections, in which the king, who was in the royal box, led.

With a grand total of 88 points won in all sporting contests and with 50 points won in the track and field events alone, the American contestants in the Olympic games were confident when the contests were resumed today of adding materially to their totals.

While the preliminary events were being contested, however, the Americans who have the sport at heart were chiefly concerned in the suggested code of rules and uniform list of events to be drawn up for all coming Olympic games. Delegates representing every nation conferred today on the subject. It was agreed that the present rules are defective in many respects and it was expected that tentative rules would be agreed on before the meeting finally ends here.

Unfair to Some  
America was represented at today's conference by J. J. Sullivan and J. B. McCabe of Boston. The general complaint has been made that under present rules some countries which have only a very few high class men are forced to make them show their best in everything from the preliminary events on.

In addition, there was a general complaint at the lack of penalties provided in the rules for false starting and other things which have seriously interfered with some of the events contested here.

Great interest attached to the finals of the 110 meter hurdles today, because of the fact that only one man qualified who was not an American. He was K. Powell of England, but a flyer over the sticks and one to be reckoned with. His opponents in the race were Martin W. Hawkins, Portland; John P. Nicholson, University of Missouri; James Wendell, New York A. C.; Fred W. Kelley, Seattle A. A., and John Corse of the University of Illinois.

## DISCUS DISAPPOINTMENT

The result of the finals in the discus throw, which was considered easy for Jim Duncan, was an upset in form. The winner turned up in Taipale, the big Finnander, who has been showing well in all of the strength contests. R. L. Byrd of Adrian college, was second and Duncan third. The winner's distance was 148 feet, a new Olympic record. Ralph Rose and "Babe" McDonald, who were expected to show well, finished far down on the list.

Lieutenant Patton of the United States army, the only American contestant in the Pentathlon, won the cross-country event in this all-around contest, and fell in a faint as he broke the tape at the finish mark. He was revived, but greatly weakened by his exertions.

## SWEDEN WINS PENTATHLON

There was an impressive scene in the stadium when the flag of Sweden was hoisted on all three of the poles, when the result of the modern pentathlon was announced. Liljeborg of Sweden, was first with 27 points; Asbrink, Sweden, second, with 28 points, and Delaval, Sweden, third, with 30. Lieut. Patton of the American army, finished sixth in this event, which included shooting, swimming, 300 meter running, fencing, riding, cross country running, and 4,000 meters. In his first attempt at the running broad jump, A. L. Guttererson of the University of Vermont, covered 24 feet 11 inches and this mark was expected by the Americans to stand.

The finals of the 110 meter hurdles was won by Fred W. Kelley of the Seattle A. A., with James I. Wendell of the Wesleyan university, second.

Guttererson's running broad jump of 24 feet 11 inches, which was a new Olympic record, was not equaled by any of the other contestants, and he was declared the winner. Pricker, the Canadian, was second, and Aberer of Sweden, third.

## TO CHANGE RATES FOR SPRINKLING

Day Will Ask Council to Adopt Meter System for Sprinkling Purposes

## MAY ABANDON FLAT RATE

Recommendation of Railway Commission to Charge Pro Rata Is Up to Council

A communication will be presented to the city council at the regular meeting tonight by James T. Day, president of the board of public works, asking that action be taken to pass an ordinance by which all water taps must be provided with a meter and the flat rate on sprinkling, now in vogue, be eliminated.

This action on the part of Mr. Day has been prompted by a communication received by him from the state railway commission, recommending that such steps be taken. From the general substance of the letter, Mr. Day construes it to be a gentle hint on the part of the commission to the city and that the commission is merely giving La Crosse the option of being coaxed or driven. He declares it is better for the city to take the matter into their own hands now than to have to do so at the dictation of the commission.

## Present System Unfair.

Mr. Day said: "The railway commission is right in recommending that this be done. After a thorough investigation and examination into the water tap system of La Crosse we find that the North side is consuming about fifty per cent of the water of the city, while they produce but about one-fifth the revenue for water supply. Thus the burden falls on the general tax payer instead of the consumer.

"Water used in homes and business houses is paid for according to the amount used but a flat rate of \$2.50 per tap is now being charged on exterior water taps. Thus the persons using water for sprinkling purposes are charged a certain rate without regard to the amount of water used. They are receiving the benefit at the expense of the tax payer in general.

## People Careless.

"Not only is the burden misplaced under the present system, but when persons are charged irrespective of the amount of water used it leads to carelessness and an over use of water which would be eliminated under the meter system. It often happens that persons will leave their water running. This would rarely happen if they were charged for their carelessness."

Mr. Day admitted that his communication would probably receive some opposition, but predicted that the council as a body would approve of the new system.

This will require the purchase of hundreds of new meters, but he declares that many persons have been preparing themselves for such a change and have already provided themselves with meters for the exterior water taps.

## M'COMBS THOUGHT CHOICE OF WILSON

Governor Picks Man for National Chairman and Campaign Manager Is Believed Favorite

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 12.—Announcement was made by Gov. Wilson today that he has arrived at a decision regarding the new chairman. Until that decision is given to the national committee when it meets Thursday he said he would not make his selection known. It is generally believed among politicians here, however, that the chairman will be William F. McCombs who has acted as campaign manager for the governor up to the present time. The governor held a final conference this afternoon with Robert S. Hedpeth, national committeeman from New Jersey.

Col. Robert Ewing, national committeeman from Louisiana, after his conference with the governor, declared he had no doubt McCombs would be elected chairman of the national committee on the first ballot on Monday. He said he also believed the chief party headquarters will be in Chicago, although there will be a branch headquarters in New York City.

Ewing said he had urged the governor to have a small campaign committee appointed to take over the work of the national committee during the coming campaign but that the governor failed to say whether he would favor such a plan.

## PLAQUE IN HAVANA

HAVANA, July 12.—Bacteriological examinations prove today that Carmelo Heigueria, who died here last night, succumbed to bubonic plague. The case developed but a block from the president's palace.

## PASSES ARCHBALD IMPEACHMENT BILL

House, with One Dissenting Vote, Adopts Articles Against Accused Commerce Court Judge

## SCENE SHIFTS TO SENATE

Higher Body Expected to Recess Until Fall to Allow Arbitrator Time to Prepare Defense

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The house of representatives on Thursday adopted by a vote of 222 to 1 articles of impeachment against Judge Robert W. Archbald of the United States Commerce court.

Representative Farr of Pennsylvania cast the single vote against the bill of impeachment. Mr. Farr is a lifelong friend who has all along voiced confidence in Judge Archbald's integrity.

Of the total membership of the house in the seats, nine voted "present." These were former Speaker Cannon, Representatives Burgess of Texas, Dalzell and Olmstead of Pennsylvania, Dwight of New York, Johnson of South Carolina, Farran of Maryland, Rucker of Missouri and Sparkman of Florida.

Only three members have spoken in the judge's defense. They were Representatives Farr, Bowman and Focht, all republicans of Pennsylvania.

The scene now shifts to the senate, where it will sit in judgment in the case. While a disposition has been voiced in the senate to postpone the trial until the autumn, Chairman Clayton of the house committee on judiciary and one of the prosecuting managers, declared his conviction that the senate would take up the impeachment soon.

The Lorimer case has blocked further action by the house in the Archbald impeachment proceedings.

Chairman Clayton of the judiciary committee, who has assumed the role of "prosecuting attorney," said today that he had been requested to defer action until the senate had disposed of the Lorimer affair.

"We will merely make formal announcement to the senate," said Clayton, "that the house has adopted the articles of impeachment."

## MISS STRACHAN NOT MOO-MOOSE

Refuses to Bolt National Education Association Despite Defeat for the Presidency

CHICAGO, July 12.—Miss Grace C. Strachan will not be the Moo-Moose of the National Educational association. The defeated New York candidate for the head of the teachers' organization, while firmly convinced that underhand methods accomplished her defeat, has decided not to bolt and form a "third party."

Although they were defeated in their fight on the presidency, the Strachan forces succeeded in reading the suffrage question into the records of the organization. A resolution fathered by the New York delegation favored "votes for women," asserting that "only by woman's suffrage will the highest degree of citizenship be reached in the United States." Incorporated in the resolution was a declaration favoring the teaching of suffrage principles in the schools and a more thorough course in utilitarian economics.

The convention went on record as favoring the wider use of motion pictures for educational purposes.

## NOT MUCH RELIEF

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Uncle Sam's weather bureau started off its country wide forecast today with a promise of relief from the heat wave in an unsettled weather prediction for the east and then wound up with the declaration that "temperature changes will not be decided."

## WATTERSON REFUSES REPLY

CHICAGO, July 12.—"I have nothing to say at this time regarding Mr. Bryan's statement on the 'eruption of Mount Watterson,'" said Solon Henry Watterson of Louisville, today, at the luncheon given by the Chicago Association of Commerce, to the commissioners of the Admiral Perry memorial ceremonies.

## AYLWARD TRAPS BUSY MR. BOLENS

Madison Lawyer Asks Embarrassing Question About Volunteer Income Tax Referendum

## BOLENS TAKEN BY SURPRISE

Finally Announces that Entire Cost of 62,000 Postcards Mailed Was but a Small Sum

(By Joseph K. Kidder.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—Henry Bolens, Port Washington, Wis., the would-be-can't-be Emanuel Phillip of the democratic party, in a meeting of the democratic com-

mittee on resolutions was handed a jolt from which he has still failed to recover. John A. Aylward is the man who administered the knockout. The committee prior to going into executive session, heard the various opinions of state people in regard to plans to be incorporated in the platform—especially that pertaining to the income tax law.

After all the "small fry" had offered their humble views on this absorbing and momentous subject the Hon. Henry, fresh from his printing plant in Port Washington, stepped before the committee room.

His appearance itself was awe inspiring. So confident was his bearing that various members, who theretofore had been drowsing, began to "sit up and take notice."

"Gentlemen of this committee," started Henry, pausing to allow his words to sink in, "I am here to tell you the result of a quiet referendum I have been taking on this all absorbing question." Here the committee straightened up and drew their chairs tighter to the table.

"I want to state that I, unknown to others, have quietly conducted a referendum of my own in this state. I have attempted to ascertain the sentiment of the people on the question of income tax." The interest was intense.

The result, and the speaker paused to give force to his words, "has been overwhelmingly against the measure!" The last very dramatic utterance and with much gesticulation, "There are 62,000 people on record against the law!"

The intense silence was interrupted by John A. Aylward leaving the room.

Evidently taking the departure of Mr. Aylward to signify that his argument was telling, the speaker then launched into a vigorous denunciation of the law, during which he predicted dire defeat for progressive republicanism. He exhibited one of the return postal cards on which it was stated that the signer "forthwith pledged himself not to vote for any candidate, irrespective of party, who does not favor the repeal of the state income tax law."

At this juncture Aylward returned with a copy of the state election laws, with his thumb on the following section:

"Disbursements by Persons Other Than Candidates and Committees—Section 94-11. 1. Every person other than a candidate or committee..."

## WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; no decided change in temperature.

For Wisconsin: Unsettled weather with probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Unsettled weather with probably local thunderstorms tonight or Saturday; cooler south-east portion tonight.

Weather Conditions  
A moderate depression has developed in the plains states and local thunderstorms have occurred in the Missouri valley and throughout the Canadian northwest. Rain has also been quite general in the Atlantic states and the temperature has moderated somewhat in the middle and north Atlantic states.

Showery conditions will prevail in this section tonight and Saturday with no decided change in temperature.

Weather Conditions  
Stations. Flood. 24-Hour Stage. Height. Change.  
St. Paul ..... 12 2.9 0.0  
Reeds Landing 12 1.5 0.0  
La Crosse ..... 12 3.5 -0.1  
St. Louis ..... 30 12.2 -0.5

## BALLINGER COMES IN FOR PROBING

Hanford Investigation Committee to Delve Into the Record of Ex-Cabinet Member

## QUESTION OF ESTATE TANGLE

Alleged that Hanford and Ballinger in Collusion Robbed Heirs of Over \$20,000

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—Announcement that Richard Achilles Ballinger, former secretary of the interior, will also be investigated by the congressional committee which is here examining the record of United States District Judge Cornelius Hanford, today lent additional interest to the Hanford probe.

Ballinger's activities in the settlement of a certain estate when he was acting as lawyer for the Scandnavian-American Bank of Seattle are to be probed to the bottom, according to the announcement by the committee. This will come through investigation of charges made against Ballinger by Attorney Jerrold L. Finch, who, testifying before the committee, practically accused Judge Hanford and Ballinger of acting in collusion in a settlement of the estate to its loss of more than \$20,000.

Another angle of the Hanford case was given publicity at last night's hearing, when a reporter was examined on a published story that a "white slave" ring was behind the attack on Judge Hanford. Questioned by the committee the reporter said Judge Hanford in person gave him the information upon which the article was based.

The first night session held by the committee last night was occupied by the testimony of Alfred Battle, law partner of Richard A. Ballinger, ex-secretary of the interior, who was principally involved in the conspiracy charge made by Attorney Finch in the Heyman and Hanson cases. Ballinger was present through the night session, but did not choose to take the witness stand.

Battle's testimony throughout was an attempt to explain a number of alleged transactions charged to Ballinger and other attorneys and claimed by witnesses to have been countenanced by Judge Hanford.

Frank A. Paul, a young attorney, testified that he had seen Judge Hanford in such a condition that "if it were not that he was a federal judge, one would think he had been drinking to the extent of incipient intoxication."

## FIFTH ARTILLERY SPENDS DAY HERE

Battery D Arrives Here from Fort Snelling on Way to Camp Bruce E. McCoy at Sparta

Battery D of the Fifth field artillery composed of 150 men arrived here enroute from Fort Snelling to Sparta at 11 o'clock this morning. They will remain encamped at the fair grounds until six o'clock tomorrow morning when they will continue their march, probably arriving at Sparta tomorrow afternoon. They spent last night at Kari-gan farm, twenty-two miles north of La Crosse, breaking camp at an early hour this morning.

This division of the artillery will take part in a month's military maneuvers at Camp Bruce E. McCoy. Among the other troops which will arrive at Camp Bruce E. McCoy tomorrow are one-half of Company A, hospital corps and one-half of Company L, ambulance corps. This will bring the total number of regulars now at the Sparta camp to 3,500.

The sixth regiment of cavalry from Fort Des Moines is expected to arrive here tomorrow or Monday. This regiment consists of 600. As now planned they will spend two or three days in La Crosse before continuing their march to Sparta. During the last week numerous letters have been received at the local post-office for members of the Sixth cavalry.

Regulars from a half dozen neighboring states will take part in the maneuvers as will several regiments of the Wisconsin National guard. Already a large number of regulars have arrived at Sparta and Camp Douglas and others including militia, will join them within a few weeks.

Companies M. and B. of the Wisconsin National guard, both local companies, will leave La Crosse July 22 for Camp Douglas where they will take part in three days target practice. They will make the trip on a special train. On July 25 they will start to march to Sparta where they will spend eleven days.

## LORIMER FIGHTS IN VAIN ATTEMPT

Blonde Boss Makes Desperate Appeal to Retain His Seat in the Senate

## MINORITY STILL AGAINST HIM

Enemies of Illinoisan Insist They Have More Than Enough Votes to Oust Him

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Fighting with his back to the wall, Senator William Lorimer today resumed his desperate attempt to sway by dramatic appeal of innocence the most difficult of audiences—the United States senate—and obtain a vindication at their hands of the charges of corruption in his election.

Even Lorimer's enemies today paid tribute to the power of his oratory by making another canvass of the senate to discover whether their estimate of a majority of ten to oust the junior senator from Illinois had been changed. They claimed it had not and that when a vote was taken, probably late this afternoon, Lorimer would be removed as the beneficiary of a corrupted legislature.

If Lorimer was aware of the odds against him he gave no indication today. His vigorous phrases in denunciation of his enemies and picturesque assertions of innocence carried a powerful dramatic appeal. Packed galleries eagerly watched the speaker's short, stout figure, hung upon his words. It was the general opinion that Lorimer was making an even better fight this time than he did eighteen months ago, when he faced the same charges of corruption in his election.

Lorimer privately expressed the belief just before he resumed his speech that he would conclude his defense about noon, and in view of this, the general belief was expressed in the senate that a vote would be taken late this afternoon.

When he took the floor only about a dozen senators were present, but the leaders scurried around, and corralled a quorum within a few minutes. All subtle devices of the stage were brought into place by Lorimer in his impassioned, dramatic utterance. He took the center of the center aisle, a bulky figure in dark serge suit, buttoned shoes and a clerical white tie and shirt.

Lorimer's famous blonde curls bobbed viciously as he tossed his head and shook his body with violent gestures. He removed and replaced his gold spectacles nervously from time to time.

Frequently his voice broke with apparent pathos, or rasped as he shouted his diatribes upon his enemies. Often he turned and shook his fist at the auditors, including many representatives and government officials.

## PROHIS DISCUSS THE WAR CHEST

Declare \$150,000 Is Needed to Carry on Campaign; \$41,000 Already on Hand

## ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 12.

The entire morning session of the prohibition national convention was devoted to finances. Retiring National Chairman Charles R. Jones stated that it would require not less than \$150,000 to defray the expenses of an energetic campaign. He announced that as the result of the early efforts there was \$31,000 in the treasury, of which amount W. Nicholas Taft, a relative of the president, contributed \$10,000. Today more than \$10,000 additional was pledged, and committees were named to aid in raising the amount still needed. It was expected that the nomination of candidates would be reached some time this afternoon.

There were numerous candidates for both places on the ticket and it was considered certain that many ballots would be necessary before a choice was reached. Before getting down to nominations the convention took up consideration of the demand of Rev. H. H. Taft to change the name of the party to the national conservation society. Rev. Taft is the founder of Humboldt college, Iowa, and also a distant relative of President Taft.

## MOVEMENT ALARMS EUROPE

PARIS, July 12.—The "See America First" movement in America is causing grave alarm throughout Europe and especially here. "La Presse" publishes this: "Rich Americans have a habit which we find excellent; it is to come to Europe, and particularly to France, to spend the bigger part of their incomes. A reaction against this custom has set in. . . . Anyhow we shall have to look sharp. If this movement should become effective it would prove a very grave thing for our commerce."

## KAREL WINS BUT BOTH NAMES GO BEFORE PRIMARY

"Loaded" Convention Gives Reactionary Small Margin, but Kills His Hobby Plank

## THIS DEFEAT BY BIG ODDS

Blank Flatly Repealing Income Tax Buried Under Avalanche of Negative Votes

## TO NAME GOVERNOR TODAY

Wolfe Will Rise in His Place and Nominate La Crosse Man for Attorney General

(By H. B. Robertson.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—While in a "packed" convention Judge John C. Karel won the endorsement for the democratic nomination for governor by the narrow margin of 393 to 375, the democrats in near-convention assembled ordered that the state central committee circulate the nomination papers of both A. J. Schmitz and Judge Karel. Thus the fight will be settled in the primary.

The outcome is said to be pretty certain to be a Schmitz victory. The Journal, a strong Wilson paper, is openly out against Karel on his legislative record, and it is significant.

WONT ASSAIL U. OF W.  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—That the democrats of the state will refuse to delve into the long standing antagonism between certain factions related to the University of Wisconsin was evident today when it became known that the resolutions committee of the state convention here refused to consider a proposed plank striking at the state institution, and calling for greater economy in the administration of its affairs. The plank was proposed by Irving Strauss of Ripon.

that the "News," Milwaukee's most uncompromising democratic daily, yesterday published Karel's record and urged the convention to take a progressive stand upon both platform and candidate.

However, Karel's victory was stamped as a personal one by the fact that the convention elected Schmitz's choice for permanent chairman, Thomas M. Kearney, and by the overwhelming vote of 524 1/2 to 165 1/2 rejected the Karel plank looking to repeal of the present income tax law. The attempt to overrule the platform plank drafted by the resolutions committee pledging amendment of the law to be ratified by a referendum before the people, was made by the conservative forces just after the resolutions committee report had been read to the delegates. Senator Paul Hustung, the fight man of the committee, led the fight for the progressives and E. E. Walsh of Milwaukee, leader of the forces behind the candidacy of Judge J. C. Karel, last night's choice of the convention for the gubernatorial candidacy, lost the opposition.

An attempt in the convention by A. J. Glinick, Marathon county, to have the water power plank eliminated from the platform was also voted down by an overwhelming majority.

## The Platform

The party platform as drafted by the resolutions committee and today adopted by the democratic state convention contains the following pledges:

1.—National Platform—To ratify and affirm the platform adopted by the national democratic convention, pledging unqualified support to the nominee and affirming confidence in W. J. Bryan for his ceaseless efforts in behalf of the party.

2.—Special Interests—To approve the stand taken by the Baltimore convention against special interests and predatory wealth, and pledging eternal vigilance against like evils in Wisconsin.

3.—Income Tax.—We affirm our belief in the principle of a graduated income tax as eminently just and equitable. We criticize the present law as imperfect and inequitable in many respects. We therefore pledge ourselves to amend the present law at the 1913 session of our legislature so as to remove the obnoxious features complained of, and to make its provisions simple and equitable, and to submit the law as so amended to the people of our state for their approval or rejection at the first general election after its amendment.

4.—Economy.—To favor strict business methods in the administration of state affairs. Appealing to the consolidation and reduction of existing commissions to a minimum consistent with efficient government.

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## WISCONSIN NEWS

## RACINE COMPANY TO FIGHT VOTE

Declare Question of Ownership Was Not Placed Before People by Referendum

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—Because the referendum was upon the question, "Shall the city of Racine purchase its waterworks?" and made no reference to the plant of the Racine Water company, the property in question, that company contends that the issue was never properly submitted to a vote of the people. In arguing for the company before the railroad commission yesterday, Attorney Thomas Kearney of Racine said:

"The question as printed on the ballots cannot be made to describe the property of the Racine Water company any more than a question relating to the condemnation of land belonging to a member of this commission could be made to support the condemnation of lands of another."

Further objection to the jurisdiction of the railroad commission was made by Mr. Kearney on the ground that compensation for the property of the company never has been voted by the city.

Burr W. Jones of this city and City Attorney Burgess of Racine argued that the people of Racine fully understood the question was on the purchase of the existing waterworks plant and said it had carried by a vote of 2,526 for and only 466 against.

The commission took the matter under advisement and later will submit an opinion on the company's contention and a decision.

It's a wonder more married women do not lose their minds—considering the liberality with which they give their husbands pieces of it.

## FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the New Drug

An eminent skin specialist recently discovered a new drug, othine—double strength, which is so uniformly successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by O. T. Erhart under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first night's use will show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely. It is absolutely harmless, and cannot injure the most tender skin.

Be sure to ask O. T. Erhart for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money back guarantee.

## COMPOSER ELOPES WITH CHORUS GIRL

Pietro Mascagni Leaves His Wife After Quarrel and Makes Off with Lady of the Theater

ROME, July 12.—Abandoning pursuit of her husband and the Costanzi theater chorus girl, with whom he is reported to have eloped Wednesday, Signora Pietro Mascagni is returning to Rome from Florence today.

Questioned on the road the composer's wife refused to discuss the story of the elopement or the quarrel between the Mascagnis which preceded it, or even to admit that it was in pursuit of Mascagni and chorus girl that she left Rome. That she was on the fugitive couple's trail there is, however, apparently no doubt.

Where Mascagni and, presumably, the chorus girl, who is missing from Rome, have gone is unknown except possibly to close friends. The composer is understood to have told his wife before leaving that he intended ultimately to return. It is uncertain that she will receive him back. Nor is it certain that Mascagni himself will not consider his promise to return in view of the dispute between husband and wife which preceded his departure, in which the former is said to have received a quite serious cut on the head from a flying domestic utensil.

The Mascagnis have not lived harmoniously together for a long time. Acquaintances attribute their disagreements partly to the composer's erratic temperament and partly to the violent temper of his wife, who, though devotedly attached to her husband, has no patience with his eccentricities and whose intense jealousy of him has caused several public scenes between them in the past.

## PLAN IMPROVEMENT ON ST. CROIX RIVER

OSCEOLA, Wis., July 12.—The annual convention of the St. Croix River Improvement association was opened on Thursday, and Commercial club delegates and town officials, representing Hudson, Wis., Stillwater, Minn., and other cities of the St. Croix valley are in attendance. Discussions, led by river navigation experts, will be held relative to the improvement of the St. Croix channel, the advancement of harbors, and the removal of sunken logs, cribs and old piers. A report will be made today on the Hudson river piers, the subject of recent agitation. Representatives of a number of motor boat and canoe clubs are here.

## REPORT ON PANAMA BRAWL

WASHINGTON, July 12.—An army investigating board submitted a preliminary report to the war department today charging Panama police with unnecessary violence in quelling a street brawl, on July 4, last by shooting down several Americans and soldiers. The board will now investigate the police side of the story and if the preliminary report is sustained the United States will take further action.

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## NORTHWEST NEWS

## WOULD DISCHARGE MILITIA MEMBER

Controversy Between Agricultural Department and Militia May Follow Action of Professor

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Some member of Company B, First Infantry, Minnesota National guard, now at camp at Lake City, stands a good chance of being made the object of litigation between two state departments, in order to determine the power of a state to compel enlisted men to attend the annual encampment.

According to information received from the state agricultural school, Prof. Maine of that institution, intends to discharge an employee in one of the departments of the school, because he was made to join his company and go to Lake City.

Colonel Luce of the First regiment, over the long distance telephone, said Thursday that he would ignore all demands to let the member go, and would fight any attempt to get him to leave.

The attempt of a state employee to discharge another state employee for doing his duty to the state as a member of the national guard is a novel state of affairs which has not come up in the past.

Colonel Luce says he will go to the courts, if necessary.

## STATE OWES FOR SENATE'S PRAYERS

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Sixty dollars' worth of prayers offered in the senate for the good of its members at the extra session, and which included a plea for good to the people, the president of the United States and all others, stand as a debt against the state of Minnesota. The Rev. Andrew D. Stowe, chaplain of the senate, appeared at the state capitol endeavoring to collect the money.

## BODY IS RETURNED TO INSANE ASYLUM

ST. PAUL, July 12.—The body of A. Heilmann, 460 West University avenue, which was brought to St. Paul from the state hospital for the insane at St. Peter early this week, was taken back to St. Peter Thursday, in order that an inquest may be held. A blood clot on the brain and another over the chest decided the authorities to investigate.

## ROOSEVELT MEN TO MEET JULY 30

ST. PAUL, July 12.—Because the Auditorium was not available July 24 the Roosevelt men have abandoned that date and the progressive convention will be held in St. Paul at the Auditorium July 30. It is likely that a St. Paul man will call the convention to order and that a temporary chairman will be selected from the cities. The permanent chairmanship doubtless will go to the country.

## POSTOFFICE ROBBED

ST. PAUL, July 12.—The robbery of the Willow River postoffice, Pine county, near Duluth, Wednesday night is the fourth that has occurred in this district in the past week. The office was forced open and the safe blown. Everything of value was taken.

## DUNN FOR CONGRESS

ST. PAUL, July 12.—H. H. Dunn, Albert Lea, is being urged to enter the race for congressman-at-large. It is said he is delaying his announcement to see how the third party movement will affect matters.

A woman may not be able to keep a secret, but when it comes to suffering in silence she has a man beaten to a frazzle.

## SHERIFF KILLS A YOUNG BANDIT

Posse Corners Two in a Canon and Desperate Fight Ends in Death of One and Capture

LANDER, Wyo., July 12.—Word reached here today from a lonely canon south of here, that Sheriff W. C. Johnson and a posse had engaged two desperadoes in a rifle battle late yesterday and that one bandit had been slain and the other captured. The fight lasted more than an hour. The names of the robbers are unknown.

On the night of July 3, a lone robber held up three saloons at Riverton, a small town near here. Later the robber, who was a mere lad, joined a companion at the outskirts of the town and fled. Sheriff Johnson's posse pursued the robbers for several days, locating the men yesterday afternoon in the lonely canon.

Sheriff Johnson shot and killed the youthful bandit while the latter was crawling to an advantageous position. The other robber refuses to talk.

## MRS. MORROW TO BE ACQUITTED

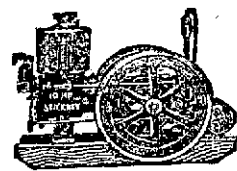
Even Prosecution Admits There Is Little Chance for Conviction on Murder Charge

CHICAGO, July 12.—Asking only imprisonment as a penalty and privately admitting that conviction is unlikely, the state opened its case today in the trial of Mrs. Rene B. Morrow for the murder of her husband, Charles B. Morrow, south side inventor. The court room was jammed when Judge Kersten took his seat.

In his opening statement Assistant State's Attorney Northrup confined his remarks to a mere declaration of what the state expected to prove, and announced that the first witnesses for the prosecution would show that Morrow frequently was barred from entering his own home and would show Mrs. Morrow's alleged relations with one of the boarders in her house.

The state sprung a surprise when it was announced that Mrs. F. H. Woods, a boarder in the Morrow home, would be called to prove that

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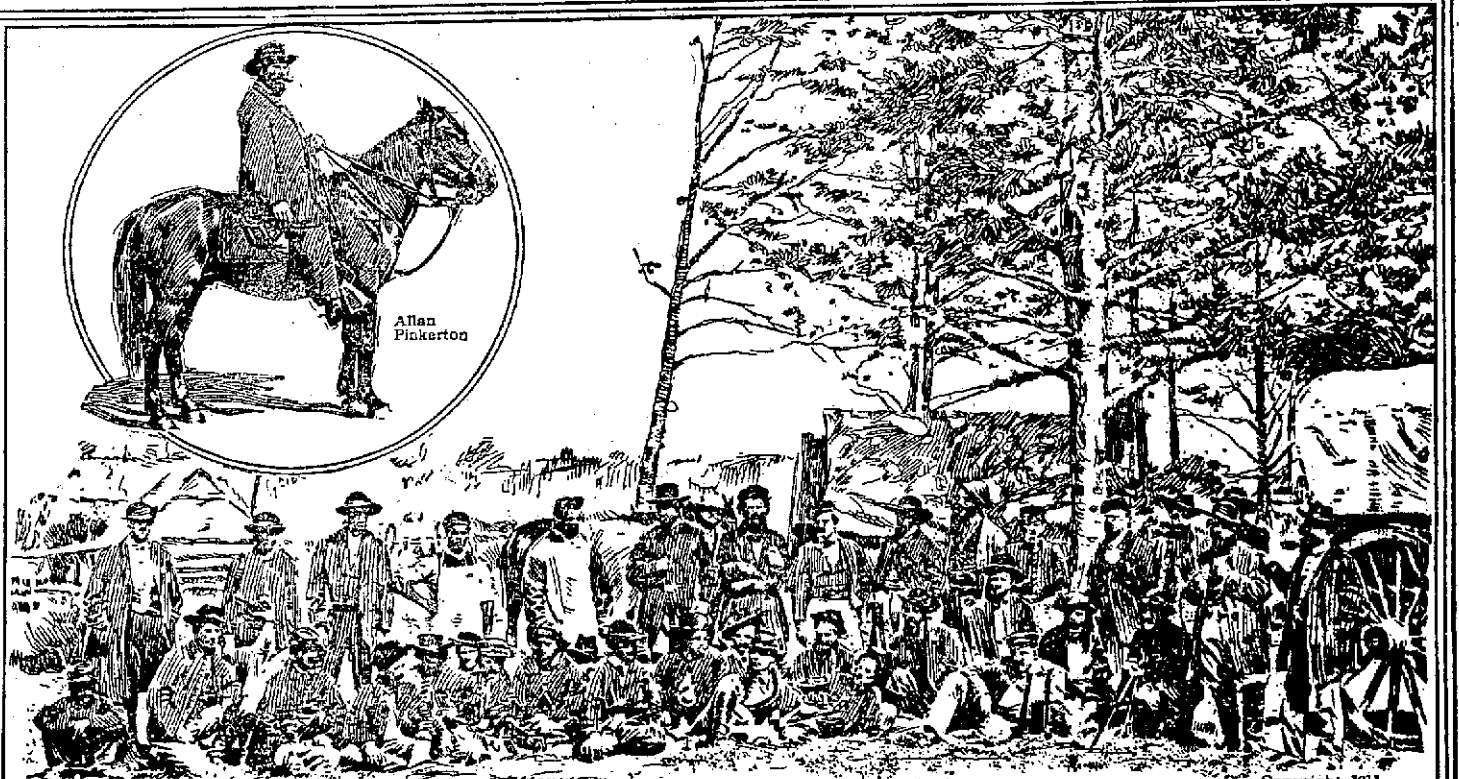
Bernard Rannetsberger - Chaseburg, Wis.

Mrs. Morrow came to her room after the shooting and asked Mrs. Woods to inform the police when they arrived that Mrs. Morrow had spent some time there the night before. Mrs. Morrow seemed considerably disconcerted by Northrup's statement.

Before going to the courtroom today Mrs. Morrow seemed confident of acquittal. "I will be a free woman," she declared, "free from the bonds and the horrible suspicion of having slain my husband. And I will be free within a week."

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The Secret Service operatives of the Civil War days hunted down men, entered within the enemy's lines to learn the location of earthworks, the strength of the batteries, the numbers of opposing forces when failure

meant death; when success brought only the reward of labor for love of country.

For these men, whose valor was, perhaps, greater than that of the soldiers in the armies, there was no beat of drums and crash of arms and fanfare of war to arouse their courage—their names will not be found on any roll of honor—their place is among the unknown heroes of history.

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## AMERICAN MEDICAL SCHOOLS INADEQUATE

When the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching made its now famous report on medical education in this country it created a distinct sensation. Medical practitioners had known and deplored the facts for some time, but the general public had been ignorant. It was like suddenly letting the light in on a dark place where filth and refuse long had been allowed to accumulate. Immediately several states, notably Illinois, started in to clean up, and many commendable reforms were accomplished.

That much, however, remains to be done is indicated by the latest report of the Foundation. This concerns American schools only through the inevitable comparison. The subject is European schools. Three-fourths of the medical schools in this country would be driven out of existence, if the lowest terms upon which medical schools can exist abroad were applied here is the flat statement made by Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Foundation, in his introduction.

"Scandals in medical education exist in America alone," he says. "In no foreign country is a medical school to be found whose students do not learn anatomy in the dissecting room and disease by the study of sick people. It has remained for the United States and Canada to confer annually the degree of doctor of medicine upon, and admit to practice, hundreds who have learned anatomy from quiz-compends, and whose acquaintance with disease is derived, not from the study of the sick but from the study of text books. Managers of feeble enterpris-

es in this country pretend that they are making great sacrifice for the public good. This hypocritical defense ought not to be permitted longer to damage the public interest. No medical school that lacks proper facilities has any other motive than the selfish advantage of those who carry it on and no civilized country except America at this day allows such enterprises to impose upon the public.

It would not be a bad idea if every man or woman employing a doctor insisted first on knowing where he received his education. The list of institutions to which the Foundation refers can be secured by request. A doctor, after all, is the employee of the one who is paying him and the latter clearly is entitled to know his qualifications before entrusting him with what may be a case of life or death. If the inadequate schools heard directly from the public in this way they soon either would really educate students or quit the pretense.

## WISCONSIN AS EVER LEADS PROCESSION

"The civic intelligence which is keeping Wisconsin in the forefront of democratic commonwealths has shown itself by supporting a liberal policy of conservation," says the Chicago Tribune. "The state has large forest reservations, especially at the head waters of the Wisconsin and Chippewa rivers. 'These reserves,' the Tribune continues, 'are in a remarkable region of lakes, well known to fishermen and hunters and wood lovers in this part of the country. One Wisconsin county has more water area than land. This county, Vilas, with an adjoining one, Oneida, has 1,200 lakes, and in them the state has reservations of 140,226 acres, partly virgin forest and partly burnt land.'

"And now comes the able state forester, Mr. E. M. Griffith, with a plan to lease sites in the lake region reservation for summer homes. The terms are summarized by La Follette's Weekly as follows:

"Lots are leased, no more than five acres to one person, for periods of twenty years, with the privilege of renewal at the end of that time. The rental varies from \$5 to \$50 per annum, according to the size and location of the lot and the amount of timber on it. This makes practically free ownership, for the restrictions upon the lease are very few. He may cut only such trees as are marked by the foresters, he must pay the market price for them, must use all possible care in building fires, and agree not to sell liquor upon the premises or to sublet without the consent of the forestry board. These restrictions are well overbalanced by the low rental, protection from fire and molestation, and freedom to enjoy the use of the whole reserve."

"This offer is open to residents of other states. 'The plan will prove profitable to the state not only by direct public revenue from rents but by bringing many summer home seekers and vacationists into the state. It will insure the preservation of the forest region, with the consequent protection of the water supply, and it will give resources of health and happiness to thousands.

"Wisconsin and its state forester are to be congratulated on this fine enterprise."

Eastern professor says the usual married couple's kiss is only a perfunctory peck. Unmarried folks would rather have a bushel. Hum, it begins to look like Wilson.

There has been so much political excitement that the average bride and groom are getting by on trains and in hotels without being noticed.

Alfred Henry Lewis calls Taft a water blister, which seems to be about the last word in the way of a cheerful campaign felicitation.

We have yet to see a young man so entirely at ease and as sartorially flawless as the one on the back cover of the magazine.

## Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Summer Girl  
 Her heels are the highest, her nose is the thinnest,  
 Her skirt is the narrowest ever displayed;  
 Her neck is the lowest, her sleeves are the shortest,  
 Her earrings the longest that ever were made.  
 Her father's the tallest, her watch is the smallest  
 That ever kept time in a circle of pearls.  
 Her handbag's the biggest, her puffs are the broadest  
 That ever were pinned to a structure of curls.

Her hatpin's the sharpest that ever projected  
 Ten inches or more from a lingerie hat;  
 Her sunshade's the deepest that ever was carried  
 And shaped like a Chinese pagoda at that.  
 Her collar's the laciest bit of adornment  
 That e'er from the makers of lingerie came,  
 For she is this Summer girl back to the beaches,  
 And living as ever right up to her name.

—Minna Irving in New York Times.

**Kansas Woman's Bank Account.**  
 A woman went into one of the banks in Fredonia and said to the cashier, "I should like to open an account at this bank, if you please."  
 "We shall be glad to accommodate you, madam. What amount do you wish to deposit?"  
 "Oh, but I mean a charge account, such as I have at the dry goods store."—Fredonia Herald.

**The Black Eye**  
 He was stooping over the automobile crank when it kicked back and bit him in the eye, placing the optic in deep mourning. That was the truth of it, but these are some of the things he heard from his friends when he walked to his office next day:  
 "Been having a fight? What's the lady's name?"  
 "Your wife can throw a rolling pin pretty straight, can't she?"  
 "You ought to get on the water wagon. Look at me. I haven't had a black eye in nine years."

"Oh, yes, I've heard that automobile crank story before. I guess you ran into a tree, if the truth were known."  
 "That story will do to tell women and children, but don't hand it to me old scout."  
 "Wear glasses and then they won't dare hit you in the eye. It's a penitential offense."

"It seems as though when you fall upstairs you could manage to hit some other portion of your anatomy than your eye, but there is no accounting for tastes."  
 "What was the bartender sore at you about? Couldn't you leave the place at shutting-up time without being thrown out?"

**Poet's Hope**  
 "Cheer up, dear," said the poet's wife, looking at him over her evening paper, "there are good times coming."  
 "What is it now," inquired the poor poet.  
 "Here's a piece about an old manuscript poem of Shakespeare's selling the other day for \$2,000."—Catholic Standard and Times.

**The Customary Attitude**  
 "What attitude shall I assume during the campaign?" asked the candidate, who was new at the game.  
 "I would suggest an easy posture at a desk," answered his more experienced manager, "with a check book in one hand and a fountain pen in the other."—Pittsburg Post.

## HOT WEATHER IS QUICK TO AFFECT THE BOWELS

Well-Known Fact That Extreme Heat Conduces to Chronic Constipation

The disposition to eat cold food and indulge in iced drinks is one reason why constipation and diarrhoea is so prevalent in summer and there is no time when people should more carefully avoid bowel disturbances, as much serious disease is directly traceable to these conditions. We need all of our strength to withstand the enervating effect of heat. To regulate the bowels and quickly relieve even the most aggravated case of constipation, the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is highly recommended by all who have ever used it. Unlike cathartics and violent purgatives, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin acts gently on the stomach, liver and bowels, without griping or other discomfort, bringing relief in an easy, natural manner. It can be used with perfect safety by the most delicate woman or child, and yet is equally effective for the strongest constitution. Mild, pleasant to take, and inexpensive, it is the ideal family laxative. By cleansing the bowel tract thoroughly and eliminating the foreign matter and poisons that irritate and inflame, it will quickly check summer diarrhoea and restore normal conditions.

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## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

**Plays Golf at 100**  
 PLYMOUTH, Mass., July 12.—Uncle Tilden Pierce, aged 100, recently played his first game of golf just after having taken his first automobile ride and his first drink of ginger ale.

**Flying Pays Well**  
 NEW YORK—Mrs. Lincoln Beachey, who is seeking alimony from her husband, the aviator, alleges that in a year he earned \$100,000 by flying. He made \$75,000 in one summer, she says.

**\$100,000 Owed to Gambler**  
 NEW YORK—One hundred thousand dollars in "gambling debts" are said to be due James Wakely, the noted gambler, once wealthy, who is now believed to be dying from apoplexy.

**Sees Sweetheart Disguised**  
 WHEELING, W. Va.—Forbidden to visit his sweetheart by her parents, George Jarrett, 17, donned his sister's clothing and masqueraded as one of her girl associates.

**Drowns Saving Doll**  
 PITTSBURG, Pa.—Attempting to save six year old Vera Stanley's doll when it fell from her arms into the river, Henry Rulka, aged 8, was drowned.

**Sell Courthouse for \$10**  
 KENTON, O.—At a public auction the Hardin county courthouse was sold for \$10. John Burkhardt, a contractor, who paid the price, agreed to raze the old structure and cart away the debris.

**Cuts Nose, Not Fly**  
 CHARDON, O.—Norman Whiting was shaving himself when a fly settled on his face. Whiting made a quick move for the fly and cut off the end of his nose.

**Bluffs Out Johnson**  
 CHICAGO—When Jack Johnson appeared in United States Commissioner Buell's office wearing his hat and smoking, a 120 pound bailiff jerked the weed from his mouth, threw Johnson's hat on the floor, told the champion to "behave" and got away with it.

**Pie Goes Out**  
 CHICAGO—A local pie company secured a \$2,300 tax reduction when it proved people have discarded pastry and taken up fruit and ice cream as desserts.

**Liked to Stick Around**  
 CHICAGO—Mrs. Carlisle Sink, suing for divorce, told the judge her husband went into a disorderly resort with another woman. "How do you know, asked the judge. "Followed him," said Mrs. Sink.

**Trail Blazed by Grease**  
 CHICAGO—Frank Morfarity stole a ham with \$1.92. Patrolman Friend followed the trail of grease and arrested Friend. The ham cost Morfarity \$5.

**Up to Date Journalism**  
 City Editor—Is Senator Briscent out covering the mothers' meeting?  
 Assistant—Yes.  
 City Editor—And is the boy orator looking after the deaf and dumb asylum reunion?  
 Assistant—Yep.  
 City Editor—Who is attending to the theft of Tottie Coughdorp's diamonds?  
 Assistant—That is the regular assignment of the shab of Persia, retired. And, by the way, the president sent in his usual signed statement, but he was careless in its preparation, so I have sent it back for revision.

City Editor—That's all right. Now, here's a good story; see if you can't find a regular reporter to cover it.  
 —New York Herald.

## The MAN in the BROWN DERBY

WELLS HASTINGS  
 Author of  
 The Professor's Mystery

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"You know then," said Mrs. Lathrop, "that he is almost as tall as you are, with great heavy sloping shoulders and queer broad stumpy hands. His hair was black and not very thick and grew down low in the middle of his forehead, in what I think is called a widow's peak, and what with the long nose under it and eyes too small and near together and that queer, mean, little baby mouth of his, I can tell you I was sorry I hadn't slammed the door in his face."

Here at last was some picture of the man to go upon.  
 "How was he dressed?" I asked.  
 "I don't exactly know," said Mrs. Lathrop. "I remember that he did have a brown derby and that his clothes were brown too; smooth, I think, and with a narrow stripe. He wore a ring with a sort of pointed purple stone in it. All his things looked as if he had plenty of money. Still, I think I hated the woman more. Perhaps a woman always does hate a woman more, when she's hating at all. I thought she was fat at first, but she wasn't, only heavy and broad and strong, with a square mannish face and a silly mop of chorus-girl hair over it."

"No one said very much while they were eating their supper. The two of them had the girl between them, and talked across her, while she said nothing. Once or twice the doctor raised his thin eyebrows at me, as if he meant me to understand something he didn't want to say at the moment. He had caught me looking at the girl, poor dear. I suppose, and all he could think of it was to make a mystery of it; for it was pretty plain that she was frightened and unhappy, and once, when she raised her hands from her lap, I noticed a red mark about her wrists, as if they had been tied together by a cord. So, when he came out into the kitchen to pay me, I asked him about it."

"Perhaps I should have told you about it. Mrs. Lathrop," he said, "but there are things that one does not speak of unless it is absolutely necessary. This young lady has run away from a sanatorium, and her nurse and I are bringing her back. It would have been better if some one of her family could have come with us, but they are all abroad at present."

"Do you mean to say," I asked him, "that that lovely little thing is out of her mind?"  
 "Only slightly," Mrs. Lathrop, he told me; "we hope to have her well in a year or so. Absolute quiet and modern treatment work wonders, you know. She imagines that she has been married, and will probably tell you so if she gets the chance."

"Well, she wears a wedding-ring," said I. That made him scowl at me, Mr. Ellsworth. It was pretty plain he thought I was too inquisitive; but I am not one that minds other people's scowls much, and I guess he saw that he was doing the wrong thing. So, finally he told me that they let her wear it to keep her quiet, and I more than half believed it, because you couldn't tell from her face whether she was married or not."

"Then he went in and whispered to that nurse a few minutes, and went out without saying another word to me. Pretty soon after that the ladies went up-stairs to bed." Mrs. Lathrop paused and sighed, and I, too, sat silent, impatiently angry at the thought of the night that Nancy must have passed, and must pass again, for how long I could not say. I looked up to find Mrs. Lathrop staring at me in astonishment.

"What is it?" I asked.  
 Mrs. Lathrop chuckled. "Do you know, Mr. Ellsworth, that all this time you have been eating dinner in your gloves?"

"Why, so I have," I said, "but I am quite through now, so the harm is done."  
 For two days I had forgotten my hands, and this sudden reminder startled me, bringing back with a rush, as it did, the accustomed pain of my affliction; and yet this time a new thought and feeling mingled with the bitter old one: for I glanced down at my gloved hands and remembered how strong they were, with what a compensation, poor though it was, of unusual physical power they were endowed, and the reflection heartened me. I would bring my purpose to the level of my physical efficiency, and, matching sheer strength with sheer determination, knew that no world as small as this could hide my love away from me, nor him, who had taken and frightened her, from the inevitable terror of my grasp. In all my life I could remember putting forth my strength but once, and then it was my boy's strength.

The picture flashed grimly before me now, as I sat gazing at my gloved hands, standing on the instant clear and distinct before my mental vision, as such pictures will. It had happened at school, when I was a second-former and fourteen years old, I think. I was a new-comer, and, as I have said, not popular. One of the sixth formers, a great meddlesome fellow and the terror of the smaller boys, had stolen into my room at night, to drag me out to the hazing that most new boys, and all unpopular

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## Men's Pants Purchase

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Lot 1 consists of light and heavy weight Worsteds and Cashmeres, \$2.50 and \$3.00 grades at <b>\$1.65</b>	Lot 2 consists of light and heavy weight Worsteds and Cheviots, light, medium and dark grades; \$4 and \$4.50 at <b>\$2.65</b>
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Any Linen, Pongee, Rajah, black Silk or Satin Coat in the store at ½ Price.

In connection with these sale prices our Credit accommodation at your service.

(Hier wird Deutsch gesprochen) **Russt tales her.**

ones, received. I was asleep, and he had pinioned me so close and so suddenly, that I awoke with a start, and yet was unable to strike; but in the darkness and in the confusion my fingers met his throat and only tightened there, it seemed to me, for a moment. Yet he had fallen across me in the dark, with twitching body and breath that came so raspingly that, as I grew wider awake, it filled me with concern, and I had struggled from beneath him and made a light. His eyes were half open, half shut, and his face strange and bloated. I remembered that I called the master of our floor, that there was a scurrying of feet and a general lighting of lights, and a silly confusion.

The doctor had come and spoken of "crushed bones in the throat." He was around again in a week or so; but only the fact that it had happened in my own room saved me from expulsion. I could get no one to believe that I had but gripped him for a moment, when I was stupid with sleep. But it was the last physical trouble I had in school, and I never used my strength to the utmost since that time. It had grown, I knew, but I never thought much about it; my hands made me shy, and though I had hoped in vain for friends, at least I had never had an enemy, never had an enemy until now; but hate had come into my life almost hand in hand with love.

(To be Continued)

A good name is more to be chosen than great riches, but it won't buy a meal ticket.

Many a man is a woman hated despite the fact that he has never married.

Remarkable  
 Willis—He is a remarkable man and the best hod-carrier in the world.

Gillis—No great glory in that.  
 Willis—Ah, but he has never written a magazine article on hod-carrying, nor delivered a Chatauqua lecture on hod-carrying, nor even done a hod-carrying act in vaudeville.  
 Puck.

He Forgot  
 During camp last year the buglers were detailed for parade with the bugle-major exempt. A lance-corporal was put in charge and he was an Irishman. When the parade had fallen in he was asked by the C. O. if the buglers were present. "No, sorr; one man absent," he exclaimed. "Well then," said the C. O., "go and find him." Whereupon Pat came running back five minutes after and said, "Shure, sorr, it was myself; I forgot to call me own name."

Both Dirty  
 In Sunday school a little girl was questioned as to her repeated non-attendance. "Why have you been absent so many times lately?" asked the teacher. "Please, teacher, answered the girl, "mother thought I'd better not come to Sunday school as my hat was dirty." "But, my dear," objected the teacher, gently, "it's not the outward appearance that we consider; it is the inward." "I know that, teacher," was Maggie's reply; "but it is all the same, the lining was dirty, too!"

There was an old woman—indeed 'tis no dream—  
 Who lived upon little but Toasties and cream;  
 And if you would know her delight in such diet,  
 Just purchase a box at the grocer's and try it.

Written by ALBERT FITCH, Central City, Nebr.

One of the 50 Jingles for which the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich., paid \$1000.00 in May.



## SATURDAY BARGAINS

**TABLE DAMASK**  
Bleached mercerized  
table damask, 35c  
64 inch, at

**LACE CURTAINS**  
2½ yards long, 50  
inch wide, at 59c  
per pair

**BED SPREADS**  
Fringed or hemmed  
bed spreads, 98c  
full size, at

**CORSETS**  
Long hip, well boned  
and taped 47c  
corset at

**NIGHT GOWNS**  
Cambrie, lace or emb.  
trimmed, at 95c  
only each

**RACINE FEET**  
Only grade of stock-  
ing feet to 5¾c  
buy, at pair

**TABLE OIL CLOTH**  
Full 45 inch wide,  
best made, col-  
ored only, yd. 15c

**TABLE PADDING**  
54 inch table pad-  
ding, at per 45c  
yard

**DRESS PRINTS**  
Simpson's best dress  
prints, at per 5c  
yard

**SHIRT WAISTS**  
White lawn waists,  
all sizes, at 49c  
only

**WASH SUITS**  
White or colored  
jacket and skirts, at  
only per \$1.95  
suit

**CORSET COVERS**  
Corset cover covers,  
worth 50c, at 25c  
only

**LACES**  
All linen Torchon  
lace, at 3¾c  
per yard

**SKIRTS**  
One lot ladies' wool  
black skirts \$3.95  
at

**J. J. POEHLING & CO.**  
114 S. Fourth Street

## North Side

NORTH DAKOTAN  
IS MARRIED HERE

Miss Clara Anderson Weds  
L. N. Larson of Marmarth  
Last Night; to Live  
in the West

Miss Clara Anderson, 1029 John-  
son street, and L. N. Larson of Mar-  
marth, N. D., were married at Rev.  
E. O. Vik's residence at three  
o'clock yesterday afternoon. Both  
of the couple are well known and pop-  
ular in La Crosse.

The bride wore white tulle over a  
satin dress and she carried a  
bouquet of white roses. Miss Alma  
Anderson, sister of the bride, was  
bridesmaid and she wore silk mull  
over lace trimmings and she car-  
ried a bouquet of white carnations.  
Melvin Thompson acted as best man.

Mr. Larson is a popular and well  
known freight brakeman on the C.  
& St. P. railroad and the bride  
also has a large number of friends  
in La Crosse. She is the daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Anderson of  
1029 Johnson street.

A reception was given for the couple  
at the home of the bride at eight  
o'clock last evening when many of  
their friends were present. The couple  
will leave tomorrow night for  
Marmarth, N. D., where they will  
make their future home.

## NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mrs. Charles Orcutt and daughter  
Marjory of Minneapolis are visit-  
ing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed  
Orcutt, 813 St. Paul street.

Frank Culligan has returned to  
the city after a trip in the west.

Miss M. Rannum of Vancouver is  
visiting relatives and friends on the  
north side.

Mrs. B. Sherrin and son Norman  
of Elroy arrived in the city this af-  
ternoon to visit relatives here.

Mylo Severson has returned to El-  
roy following a visit with friends and  
relatives in La Crosse.

Miss Mary Redpath left yesterday  
for Canada, where she will visit  
during the summer.

Miss Rose Hankerson has return-  
ed to her home in Chicago after visit-  
ing relatives and friends here for a  
couple of weeks.

Eugene Sickles has returned to his  
home in Winona after visiting his sis-  
ter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huber of St.  
Louis, Mo., are the guests of La  
Crosse friends.

Miss Helen Murphy of St. Paul is  
spending a couple weeks with rela-  
tives on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnston of  
Los Angeles, Cal., who have been  
relatives here for the past few weeks,  
have returned to their home.

Theodore Marshall of Chicago was  
a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Allie Jefferson, who has been  
visiting her brother here, has re-  
turned to her home in Galesburg.

Mrs. F. Rose, who has been visit-  
ing her daughter in Galesburg, has  
returned to her home here at 1401  
Charles street.

Miss Baker of Chicago is visiting  
at the home of Mrs. H. Roth, 1813  
Kane street, for a few days.

Miss Etta Jacobson of Albany,  
Ill., is visiting relatives and friends  
on the north side.

Mrs. E. Houck and children, who  
have been visiting friends on the  
north side for the past few days,  
have returned to their home in Eau  
Claire.

Mrs. Mathews and children, Bob-  
bie and Betty, of Minneapolis, Minn.,  
are visiting at the home of Mrs.  
Mathews, 1602 Avon street.

Mrs. Elsie of 1551 Avon street is  
the guest of relatives and friends in  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce of  
Rockford, Ill., are the guests of rela-  
tives and friends here for a few  
days.

Miss Holtz of Midway was the  
guest of north side relatives and  
friends yesterday.

Miss Catherine Craigan, who has  
been confined to her home, 1524  
Caledonia street, with diphtheria,  
is able to be out.

Clifford Flanagan, Des Moines, Ia.,  
is visiting relatives and friends here  
for a week.



Girls in their 'teens should  
not be pale, languid, constant-  
ly fatigued. Nature intended  
them to be bright, energetic  
and active.

Every parent of a growing  
girl, and every young woman  
who looks after herself, should  
be constantly on the watch for  
symptoms of impoverished  
blood. The happiness of a  
lifetime depends upon giving  
the blood the help it needs at  
this time, when girls are too  
frequently allowed to over-  
study, overwork or suffer from  
lack of exercise.

If your daughter is languid,  
has a pale, sallow complexion,  
is short of breath, especially  
on going upstairs, has palpi-  
tation of the heart, a tendency  
to faint and a poor appetite,  
she suffers from lack of blood.  
The most satisfactory way to  
give the blood the elements  
which it lacks is by using Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills. A  
thorough trial will make the  
blood pure and red.

Two booklets, "Pala Talks to Women"  
and "Building Up the Blood," will be sent  
free upon request. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills  
for Pale People are sold by all druggists, or  
will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50  
cents per box (six boxes, \$2.50, by the Dr.  
Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.)

MILWAUKEE CARS  
ENTERED IN NIGHT

Forty Dollars Worth of  
Merchandise Stolen by  
Amateur Burglar  
from Yards

Three box cars on a freight train  
from the east were opened and enter-  
ed some time last night when they  
were standing on the west side of the  
westbound C. M. & St. P. rail-  
road yards on the north side and  
merchandise amounting to between  
\$35 and \$40 was removed from  
them. The C. M. & St. P. road de-  
tectives have been notified of the af-  
fair and they will immediately start  
work on the case. No clue as to the  
identity of those who entered the  
cars has been found as yet although  
it was stated this morning that it  
looks to be the work of some other  
than a professional as the goods was  
scattered all over the inside of the  
cars.

Discovered by Policeman  
The freight train on which were  
the cars which were entered arrived  
in La Crosse from the east about  
midnight last night and they were  
started on their western journey  
early this morning. The cars were  
undoubtedly entered a short time af-  
ter they reached the city. The night  
policeman in the yards discovered  
the box cars standing open during  
the night and immediately notified  
the railroad.

After an examination it was found  
that a number of shoes and a quan-  
tity of foodstuffs had been removed  
from the cars and the loss amounted  
to about \$40.

It is expected that an investiga-  
tion of the affair will be started im-  
mediately when the railroad detec-  
tives reach the city. Attempts will  
be made to locate the ones who en-  
tered the box cars last evening.

When the cars begin to ask im-  
pertinent questions the honeymoon  
is bordering on the ragged edge.  
Fly time must be the airship sea-  
son.

NEITHER TAFT NOR  
T. R. HAD ENOUGH

La Follette Through Maga-  
zine Declares Both Had  
to Steal to Win  
Out

## SCORES ROOSEVELT DEEPLY

Own Ambition, Not Pro-  
gressive Ideals, Moved  
Colonel, Alleges  
Senator

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—Sen-  
ator La Follette in his periodical to-  
day gave his estimate of Roosevelt's  
case before the Chicago convention,  
concluding that neither the colonel  
nor Taft had a majority of properly  
qualified delegates, and declaring  
that Roosevelt "offered no reason  
for a third party excepting his own  
overmastering craving for a third  
term." Paying his respects to the  
new party and its leader on the  
cover of his magazine, Senator La  
Follette says:

"Progressive Only in Words  
"Mr. Roosevelt appeals to pro-  
gressive to join his party. Roose-  
velt's whole record demonstrates  
that he has no constructive power;  
that he is progressive only in words;  
that he is ever ready to compromise  
in order to win; regardless of plat-  
form promises or progressive prin-  
ciples. He will not last. In the  
end the people of this country will  
get his true measure. No party was  
ever successfully organized about  
a man. Principles and issues must  
constitute the basis of any great  
movement."

Bob's Statement.  
Discussing the Roosevelt program at  
Chicago under the title "The Case of  
Mr. Roosevelt," Senator La Follette  
says:

"Bryan at Baltimore, foregoing  
all chances of his own nomination,  
marshalling all his forces, braving  
Tammany and the trusts to rescue  
his party from their domination,  
carrying the convention for the  
adoption of the most progressive  
Democratic platform yet offered,  
and the nomination of the most pro-  
gressive Democratic candidate avail-  
able, was a towering figure of moral  
power and patriotic devotion to  
civil righteousness."

"Roosevelt at Chicago, backed by  
money derived from the stock water-  
ing operations of the Steel trust and  
the Harvard Trust, organized what  
are now confessed to have been  
'fake' contests as to nearly two  
hundred delegates in order to con-  
trol the Republican convention and  
secure his own nomination, refusing  
to aid in making a progressive plat-  
form, bound to have the nomination  
or destroy the Republican party, was  
a most striking example of mis-  
directed power and unworthy ambi-  
tion."

T. R. Served Self  
"Roosevelt had as great an op-  
portunity to serve the progressive cause  
at Chicago, as Bryan had at Bal-  
timore. But Roosevelt was serving  
the man, not the cause. He wanted  
one thing—he wanted the nomination.  
And yet he did not have  
enough votes to nominate himself  
upon any honest basis. He did have  
enough delegates in that convention  
ultimately to have nominated a real  
progressive and adopted a strong  
progressive platform. He could even  
have nominated Hadley on such a  
platform, and progressive Republi-  
cans could have supported Hadley in  
much the same spirit as hundreds  
of thousands of them will now sup-  
port Wilson. Neither Hadley nor  
Wilson are veterans in the severest  
tests. Both appear to be men of  
high ideals whose records, though  
short, give promise."

"But Roosevelt would not consider  
Hadley. He would have no one but  
himself. At first suggestion of Had-  
ley he ordered his third party man-  
euvers, lest he lose his followers.  
"If he had the evidence to prove  
that Taft could not be honestly and  
fairly nominated, why did he not  
direct his lieutenants to present that  
evidence to the national committee,  
and then to the convention and the  
country, so clearly that the conven-  
tion would not have dared nominate  
Taft, and that Taft could not, in  
honor, have accepted the nomina-  
tion, if made?"

Neither Had Majority.  
"The matter is obvious. An an-  
alysis of the testimony will, I am  
convinced, show that neither Taft

## What Is Nicer

after a scorching hot day than a delicious dish of  
Ice Cream? It makes a new man or woman out  
of you.  
See our line of Candies, Cigars, Tobaccos, Notions, Canned Goods,  
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BACK

## Twice as Much

You can get twice the wear out of  
your clothing, twice the value for  
the money you pay for it, if you  
have us steam clean it occasionally.  
This is a fact, proven conclusively  
by many people. Why not effect  
this saving and be better dressed?  
Give us a trial. Both phones. Our  
wagon will call.

Paris French Dry Cleaning, Press-  
ing and Repairing.  
613 Main Street.

PRISON GOOD FOR  
UNIONIST LEADER

MANCHESTER, Eng., July 12.—  
Tom Mann, the Syndicalist leader,  
who is serving a two -month's sen-  
tence in Strangeways prison because  
he advised His Majesty's soldiers not  
to shoot down striking coalminers,  
is thoroughly enjoying his enforced  
rest. In a letter to a friend he says  
that prison life has greatly improved  
his general health and that on his  
release he expects to take up his  
organizing duties on behalf of the  
National Transport Workers Federa-  
tion physically fit in every respect.

Most of Mann's time is occupied  
in knitting, in which pursuit he  
professes to have attained considerable  
proficiency and some artistic excel-  
lence. The warden's regard him as  
a model prisoner, his good conduct  
already having earned for him a  
merit stripe and the usual 20 per-  
cent remission of sentence. He will  
be set free early this month.

## WOMAN HEADS LEAGUE.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Mrs.  
John E. Raker, wife of the lone  
Democratic Congressman from Cal-  
ifornia, has been elected recording  
secretary of the National Demo-  
cratic Women's League. Its ob-  
jects are to promote the highest prin-  
ciples of Democracy. Mrs. John  
Sherwin Crosby of New York is  
president.

## WIRE ELECTROCUTES GIRL.

BOSTON, July 12.—Florence  
Scully, 12, was electrocuted and 50  
children who took refuge on the  
steps of the Edward Newton school  
at Winthrop were knocked to the  
ground and stunned during a violent  
electric storm which swept over  
greater Boston yesterday afternoon.  
The Scully child was struck by a  
bolt of lightning on Broadway in Cam-  
bridge. Church steeples and many  
towers were shattered by lightning  
during the spectacular display.

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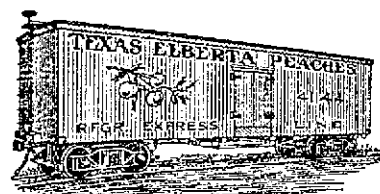
## BEN GETS A TICKET O. K. BUT DOESN'T PIPE THE GAME!

BY HARRY DALLY





## Extra Fancy Elberta



## PEACHES

From Texas

The first Elbertas are always the best. If you preserve Peaches, do it now. Ask for prices by the car or bushel.

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Fruit House.

Pineapple, Strawberry and  
Vanilla in Quart Bricks  
Ice Cream and Butter Co.

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Barron Building, Fifth and Main  
Successor to Dr. Lawrence

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Bread, Cake, Pies, Etc. Special Orders, by  
MRS. E. A. TRANE,  
611 Main. Phone 1253-R  
Prompt service and delivery.

WISCONSIN NEEDS  
MORE LIVESTOCK

Although Leading State for  
Breeding Cattle, More and  
Better Cows and Horses  
Are Desirable

Considering the many natural advantages of the state and its location with respect to some of the growing markets of the country, Wisconsin farmers who raise live stock are most fortunately situated. The dairymen of this state already own more pure bred Holstein and Guernsey cattle, along with a substantial representative of the other dairy breeds than do the farmers and breeders of any other state in the Union. Moreover the excellence of our herds is not surpassed anywhere.

## Come From Abroad

Through intelligent co-operation our dairy cattle are becoming so well known, not only in the United States, but the world over, that representatives of other countries not infrequently come here for breeding animals. The little vicinity around Lake Mills, in Jefferson county, affords an example. There even without any attempt at organized co-operation, a few began the breeding of Holstein cattle. Little by little there came a demand for their surplus and the herds and the markets have grown up together. Although there are no conditions in Jefferson county that are not common to nearly any other county in the state, Lake Mills is known the country over for its Holsteins.

Wisconsin farmers have bred and developed some superior draft horses, but if we were producing ten times as many of these good ones, which is easily possible, we might command the buyers of the country instead of permitting them to spend a million dollars, as they did last season, with the horsemen of France, Scotland and other European countries.

With the breaking up of the sheep ranches of the west, Wisconsin offers the best opportunities for the sheep business of any state in the Union, and especially is this true in the northern half of the state.

Owing to the great varieties of feeds grown in Wisconsin, we are able to produce a stronger, heavier and more prolific hog than in the so-called corn belt states, and hog cholera, a dreaded disease that is working disaster to many farmers in the corn belt, is scarcely known here.

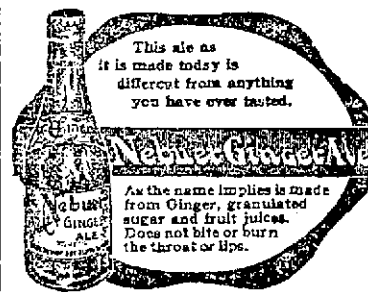
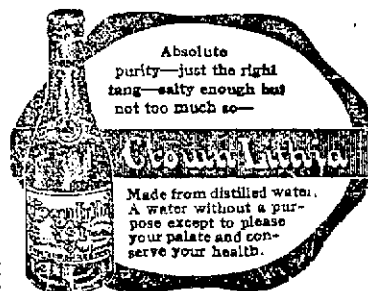
## Need Better Stock

It, however, is not enough, that we simply raise more live stock; we should, working together, produce more live stock of a better quality.

## THE FASHION SHOP

F. A. REIMAN

EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE  
Corner Fifth and Main Streets



North Side Bottling Works  
La Crosse, Wis.

We have a College of Agriculture that is a live factor in encouraging the breeding of better stock. The Farmers' Institutes have carried the gospel of better stock direct to the people, and we have the Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association, which from now on will be a mighty force in the introduction of better breeding stock, in the formation of co-operative breeding centers and, in various other ways, encouraging live stock improvement.

Instead of the cows of this state producing on the average 150 pounds of butter fat per year, by co-operative testing and breeding this might quickly be brought up to 200 pounds per cow, and then on to a still higher standard, and for every pure bred dairy animal we have now, we should have ten.

Instead of the average farm gelding or mare weighing from 1200 pounds to 1400 pounds and valued at from \$100 to \$150, we should have more horses on our farms weighing from 1600 pounds to 1700 pounds and worth \$200 to \$300 each.

In nearly every line of live stock we have the same chances for improvement, and in many localities of this state we have people who are wide awake to the possibilities. Wisconsin is a great live stock state, but it is destined to become still greater.

## WATCHES

## DIAMONDS

## We Sell For Cash

Give no discounts and pay no commissions. This is the only store in town we know of that does a strictly cash business, and yields no concessions that all may not share. Such a system creates money-saving opportunities and enables us to undersell—easily undersell—all other stores. It provides the best values for those who spend money open-handedly, as well as for that larger class whose purchases are controlled by the strictest economy.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler  
Watch Repairing a Specialty

## PERSONALS

Auto repairs. Hirt Machine Co. H. C. Paine has returned to his home in this city after spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Milwaukee.

E. Cosack left for Milwaukee yesterday to spend a few days transacting business.

Dr. Weston, specialist, 4th & Main. Miss Hilda Morton of Beloit, Wis., has returned to her home after spending a few days visiting La Crosse relatives.

G. B. Goodwin of Chicago has been transacting business in this city during the last few days.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Carl Tetley, Walter Williams, John Whiting and J. Dittman are spending the week camping on the Wisconsin shore opposite River Junction.

C. E. McClellan came to the city from Stoddard yesterday to visit friends here.

J. W. Norris, Viroqua, is calling on friends in La Crosse today.

W. McMillan, a resident of Houston, Minn., is in the city on business today.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women T. H. Conway, Chicago, traveling passenger agent of the Santa Fe Railroad company, visited at the C. B. & Q. offices yesterday.

F. E. Baldwin arrived in the city from Sparta yesterday to remain here for a few days.

E. Solberg from Spring Grove, Minn., is a La Crosse visitor today.

G. B. Gardner of Chasaburg, is a business caller in the city today.

W. Robinson of Mabel, Minn., is visiting friends in La Crosse today.

W. A. Holden came to the city from Sparta yesterday to visit with friends here.

Excellent carriages. Gateway City Transfer Line. Phone 179.

J. O. Anderson from Viroqua visited friends in La Crosse yesterday.

Mrs. T. A. Pinkham and daughter, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Pinkham's father, B. Hyde, this city.

R. K. Masterson of Madison has returned to his home after spending a few days visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. William Tschanner and daughter and Mrs. E. B. Overstreet, mother of Mrs. Tschanner, have returned from St. Louis.

G. B. Answorth of Wausau spent yesterday visiting La Crosse relatives.

G. L. Smith of Dubuque, who has been transacting business in this city during the last few days, left for his home this morning.

The Misses Rose and Laura Larson, this city, have left for Minneapolis yesterday.

Mable Gustad, Sparta, is visiting friends and relatives in this city today.

UNCLE SAM TRIES TO DISCOVER WEALTH

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Uncle Sam doesn't know how rich he is in lands and mineral resources. He has been trying to find out for three years, with a board of experts, but the stock-taking is still unfinished.

The classification board has just made a preliminary report, showing that up to date it has classified as coal lands, acreage valued at \$721,856,856—16,174,200 acres in all. It has picked 52,000,000 acres as non-coal land, and tentatively withdrawn, as possible coal-bearing land, 68,926,497 acres. Oil lands have been withdrawn to the extent of 4,744,182 acres, phosphate lands over 3,000,000 acres, and power sites nearly 2,000,000.

HAS IMPROVEMENTS OF WIRELESS SYSTEM

PARIS, July 12.—Baron Zeppel, now experimenting with wireless telegraphy aboard the yacht, "Hirondelle," belonging to the Prince of Monaco, is said to have discovered new principles which will revolutionize the system.

According to stories coming from Toulon, Zeppel's apparatus sends and receives in almost absolute silence whereas the ordinary variety produces a noise like rifle shots. Also, though his outfit is compact and very small, it has a sending force equal to that aboard France's biggest battleships. By means of a key-board the notes of a bugle can be transmitted when other forms of wireless are rendered useless by weather conditions, and these, arranged in code form, would be utterly incomprehensible to outsiders.

BASEBALL PIONEER DIES IN GALVESTON

GALVESTON, Texas, July 12.—James Nolan, one of the pioneers of baseball, former secretary and one of the organizers of the Southern league and former editor of the Sporting News, died early today following a lingering illness. Nolan was a Spanish war veteran and has served as sporting editor of several southern papers, later organizing the Texas league.

All games in the Texas league were suspended for five minutes today.

## PET LION TURNS

LONDON, July 12.—It has been the hobby of T. F. Barclay of Colney Park to keep a pair of lions to play with. They were being released from their sleeping quarters for their morning romp when one of them attacked Barclay, knocked him down, and clawed his neck. A gamekeeper frightened the beast away by firing blank cartridges. Barclay's first act on recovering consciousness was to order his pets sold to a traveling menagerie.

HOT WEATHER  
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FOR POSLAM

As indispensable as tooth powder and other intimate articles for toilet convenience this summer is a box of Poslam, the perfect skin remedy.

When Poslam is used for sunburn, fever blisters, mosquito bites, burns, rashes, pimples, hives, red noses and irritated or inflamed skin, surprising results are seen after one application.

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## CHILDREN WIN FOR DAD

MISSOURI CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR WITHDRAWS IN FAVOR OF THE MAN WITH TWELVE KIDS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 12.—A. W. Brewster, candidate for the gubernatorial nomination on the republican ticket, has withdrawn from the race, telling Secretary of State Roach, a democrat, that inasmuch as Roach has 12 children, he would not think of running against a ticket with Roach on it. In a pamphlet, sent over the state Roach has printed a photograph of his children, referring to them as "twelve reasons" for wanting his office again.

"I do not propose to let you go about the state showing photographs of 12 of your children, and then calling on me to answer to the people for what I have done," said Mr. Brewster in a letter. "And don't you think you and your photographs belong to Teddy's party?"

WILL KNOW FATE SOON

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 12. That Harry K. Thaw will know his fate within two weeks was the announcement made by Justice Martin J. Keogh today. All of the evidence bearing upon the sanity of Stanford White's slayer was completed late yesterday and the court announced that he would hear the summing up arguments in his chambers at New Rochelle next Tuesday afternoon.

WESTBY GETS FOUNTAIN

WESTBY, Wis., July 12.—(Special.)—A bubbling drinking fountain has been installed on the main street of Westby by the efforts of the Cold Water Army, an organization of boys and girls under the direction of Mrs. O. A. Breakey. The fountain cost \$150.

FAMOUS IN A DAY FOR  
THE BEAUTY OF HER  
HANDS AND ARMS

A Free Prescription That Does Its Work Over Night—You Can Prepare It at Your Own Home

"It's my own discovery, and it takes just one night to get such marvelous results," answers Miss Grace Benson, when her friends asked her about the marvelous change in the appearance of her hands and arms. "You can do the same thing if you will take my advice," she says. "I feel it my duty to tell every woman what this wonderful prescription did for me. Just think of it! It did all this in a night."

"It affords me a world of pleasure to tell anyone else just how much remarkable results were brought about. I give you, absolutely free, the identical prescription which has removed every defect from my hands and arms. You can form no idea of the marvelous change it will make in just one application. The prescription, which can be prepared at your own home, is as follows:

"Go to any drug store and buy an ounce bottle of Kulus Compound. Pour the entire bottle of Kulus into a two-ounce bottle, add quarter ounce of witch hazel and fill with water. Mix this at home, then you know that it is the genuine article. Apply night and morning. The first application will astonish you. It makes the skin transparent, removes all discolorations such as tan, sun spots, freckles and coarse pores, roughness and wrinkles, and, in fact, every blemish the hands and arms are heir to. It also produces a marvelous effect on the neck and shoulders."

If the neck is discolored from being exposed to the sun or from wearing high collars, this prescription will immediately relieve that condition. No matter how rough and ungainly the hands and arms, or what abuses they have had through hard work and exposure to sun and wind, this prescription will work a wonderful transformation in twelve hours at the most. Thousands of women are using this prescription with just the same results that I have had."

## SOCIETY

## LEAVE FOR F. A. M. CONVENTION AT COLUMBUS, O.

Howard Campbell and Abbie Arns left Wednesday evening on an extended motorcycle trip to the F. A. M. convention at Columbus, O. Owing to the severe storms they were forced to express their machines to Milwaukee, where they will meet a party and then proceed to Chicago, joining the F. A. M. tourists there. Campbell will continue his trip to the coast visiting relatives at Pittsburg and Washington, D. C. before returning home.

## SALZER PICNIC

The male members of the Salzer Seed Co. held their annual picnic at Ferndale yesterday. Fishing, horse shoe pitching and playing ball were the principal amusements. Mr. Haebig, manager of the floral department, sprung a surprise on the party by treating them to several varieties of grapes grown at his greenhouse at Hillview. Mr. Haebig is the first person that has ever succeeded in raising grapes in a greenhouse in the city.

## SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mydels were surprised by a number of their friends Thursday evening. Music, dancing, dainty refreshments and beautiful presents combined to make a delightful evening. The guests were the Misses Eva Mitchell, Bertha Moe, Hazel Clark, Hattie Bettin, Mary Malay, Ruth Delpheno, Ella Mitchell, Mabel Larson, Clio Downs, Dora Kennedy, Elsie Verchota, Lillian Novak, Etta Svenson, Anna Peer, Anna Bettin, Marge Kennedy, Alice Riley and Mrs. Birdsell.

## SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. J. R. Robertson entertained a few friends informally Tuesday afternoon. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Cowles and Mrs. J. J. Smith. There were fifteen guests present.

Rev. and Mrs. George Longbrake have gone to Cochrane, Wis., to visit with the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ochsenr a few days.

Mrs. A. Lennon, Miss Ida Lennon and Mrs. Hugo Schick left Tuesday for a trip through the Yellowstone Park.

Miss Katherine Wesson left yesterday for Chicago where she will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Fanny Pooler left last evening for Seattle, where she will spend the summer.

ROYALIST FORCES  
GROW STEADILY

VIGO, Spain, July 12.—Captain Coucero, commanding the Portuguese royalist forces, is being reinforced almost hourly. It is estimated he has 1,400 well armed men under him today, not counting the scattered bands of irregulars who swarm all over northern Portugal.

There is no longer any question that the republicans have a full fledged revolt on their hands. They retain control of the south but the north is nine-tenths royalist. In actual battle the republicans are stronger, but the royalists probably can continue a guerilla struggle indefinitely.

The gravest danger is that Portugal will split into two countries, which must ultimately result in its national disintegration.

HAWAII GOVERNOR  
IN FOR GRILLING

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher, it was announced today, will make a personal investigation of the rumper in Hawaii between Governor Frear and Delegate Calaniano and for that purpose will leave Washington for a tour of the islands just as soon as the present session of congress is concluded.

Calaniano charges that Governor Frear is not progressive, is out of sympathy with sentiment in the islands and too friendly to the sugar interests there.

INDIAN'S BODY  
FOUND IN RIVER

The body of Joseph Daney, the Indian lad, who was drowned in the Lemonweir river near Tomah Wednesday afternoon, was recovered late yesterday by members of the Indian school who had been dragging the river during the entire day. Daney was drowned while bathing with a number of companions. It is believed that heart trouble was directly responsible for his death. The body will be taken to Daney's home at the Indian Reservation of Sawyer county tonight where burial will take place.

## FIND DIAMOND FIELD

JOHANNESBURG, July 12.—Aloerhof, a farming district on the bank of the Vaal, is the center of a great diamond rush, and within the past six weeks a canvas city of 18,000 has sprung up. The first discovery of diamonds was made only a few months ago. Already 20,000 claims have been staked out and registered, and it is expected that by spring the number will have increased to 350,000.

A temporary hotel has been erected, and the proprietor's net profits are \$10,000 a month. The daily takings of the owner of the mining camp store, which deals in provisions, clothing and general outfits, amounts to \$2,600 a day.

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The choice of any man's oxford in our store that sold at \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50. Tan or black, blucher or button.

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We have a big sample lot of white canvas, patent leather and gun metal slippers and pumps, worth \$2 and \$2.50.

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SLIPPERS

It will pay you to get in on this for the girls. Slippers worth up to \$1.75. Patent leather, gun metal and white.

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WORK  
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To the working men of La Crosse: We bought a big lot of union made work shoes which are worth \$2.25 \$2.50 and \$2.75

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## SUCCESS IS SCORED SOLDIERS LEAVE FOR ENCAMPMENT

OBRECHT STOCK COMPANY IN LATEST PLAY MAKES BIGGEST HIT OF THEIR SEASON IN LA CROSSE

Easily the best thing they have accomplished in La Crosse, the Obrecht Stock company is this week playing at the Majestic theater a gripping drama called "A Romance of the North." The play is a version of "The Wolf," which was only recently one of the most popular plays of a metropolitan season. The company is competent to handle the play in splendid style, and their opening performance last evening was unexceptionally smooth. Special ability was shown by Franklin Hawkins in the part of Jules Beaubien, the hero, and by Miss Julie Obrecht as Hilda, the heroine. Both roles are difficult to handle and full of dramatic possibilities which were brought out excellently by the two. William McDonald, as played by Lief Berger, the "heavy man" of the company, was a very smooth and convincing villain, and the enlivening bits of humor injected by Christy Obrecht as the engineer's assistant and D. G. Alger as the choleric old Scotchman, Andrew MacTavish, were comically spicy.

NORTHERN COUNTY  
IMPROVES ROADS

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—The state highway commission has just been notified of a \$35,000 bond issue for highway improvement by Iron county, and State Highway Engineer A. R. Hirst has been asked to visit the county seat to advise the county board how best to spend it. This makes four northern Wisconsin counties to issue bonds for better roads.

The commission will finish its surveys of this year's work by August 1. They aggregate 500 miles. In addition, about 100 miles are being built without surveys.

DIXON DEFIES KILBANE

CLEVELAND, July 12.—Tommy Dixon, clever featherweight boxer of Kansas City, has challenged Champ Johnny Kilbane to a 20 round fight for the ring title.

**No Flies** at MILKING TIME!  
Don't blame the cow for her bad milk. It's because she has flies on her nose and in her ears. Conkey's Fly Knocker keeps flies away. The surest discovery of the age. Sold under a positive guarantee. Spray it on your horse and watch the flies keep away from him and it's just as good for horse owners, saving floors and stables, and doubling their capacity for profit. In 500 gallon 60c; gallon 12c.

## Easy Aids to Good Looks

(Ella Ellis in the Arch.)

"After motoring or golfing the hair may be dusty—with no time for washing the head. In this dilemma you will find a dry shampoo a good friend. Put four ounces of powdered orris root in a fruit jar, add an original package of Therox and mix together. Sprinkle a little on the head and brush through the hair. Therox removes dust, oil and dandruff, and leaves the hair light, fluffy and easy to do up."

"Disfiguring wild hairs can be made to vanish quickly from face or forehead by applying delatone paste, made by mixing powdered delatone with water. Cover the hairy surface with this paste for a minute or two, then remove, wash the skin and the hairs will be gone."

"Short and thin eyelashes detract from otherwise beautiful eyes. Weak and straggly lashes can be strengthened if plain pyroxin be applied to the lash roots with thumb and forefinger. Thin eyebrows always improve, with daily applications of pyroxin."

"A complexion cannot be dainty if the skin is shining from perspiration. A complexion beautifier that will not rub off or show like powder is made easily by dissolving an original package of mayatone in a half pint of witch hazel. This 'holds' and does not smear. Gently massage with this solution daily, and the skin will be soft and satiny, velvety and smooth."

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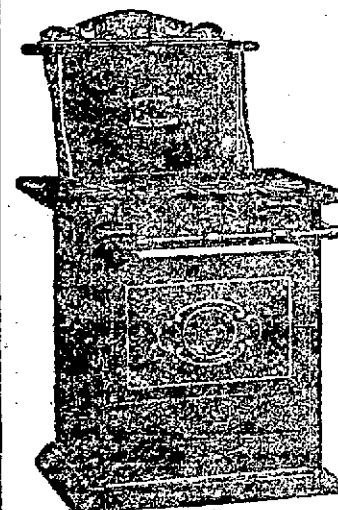
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## KAREL WINS BUT BOTH NAMES GO BEFORE PRIMARY

(Continued from Page One.)  
Commending practice of unnecessary multiplying commissions.

- 5.—Municipal Home Rule.—Affirming the declaration made in the state platform of 1910 in favor of municipal home rule.
- 6.—Natural Resources, Water Power.—Favoring conservation of all natural resources in Wisconsin for the benefit of many instead of a few. Control by state of riparian grants subject to revocation, amendment and appeal, granted for a limited period only, not to exceed forty years.
- 7.—Referendum and Recall.—Pledging support to the existing constitutional amendment providing for adoption of the initiative, referendum and recall.
- 8.—Declaration in favor of the principles of guarantee of bank deposits.

**Cheer Schmitz**  
Following the vote in which the Karel forces met defeat in an attempt to revise the platform, A. J. Schmitz, the progressive candidate for governor, came to the platform and was loudly cheered when he denounced the attempt to kill the income tax law and asserted it was prompted by ulterior motives.

The convention then recessed until 2 p. m.

### Like Bryan Defiance

A resolution placing the convention on record as against predatory wealth and special interests, and following in line with the Bryan resolution adopted by the Baltimore convention was today offered by National Committeeman Joseph E. Davies and adopted by the convention. The resolution was as follows:

"Whereas, in the conflict in the Baltimore national democratic convention, the democracy triumphed over the attempt of special privilege to dominate and control the party.

"Whereas, a progressive platform was adopted and progressive candidates named,

"Whereas, the same contest exists in each of the several states to a less degree; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that at this crisis in the life of Wisconsin democracy, it be the sense of the democratic party of Wisconsin in convention assembled that no candidate should receive the endorsement of the party for any office except a democratic progressive, both in profession and in deed."

### The Fight Last Night

The fight on endorsement of a nominee was bitter. The Karel men made the tactical blunder of objecting to unanimous consent that Karel's legislative record be read on the floor of the convention. A motion stood for a single nomination was lost, but a substitute adopted provided that a ballot should be taken where more than one candidate

was presented and that the one receiving the highest number of votes be recommended to the people of the state, but that the papers of both the candidates receiving the highest number of votes be circulated by the state committee. This was in effect a compromise, the Karel men not having enough margin to warrant steam roller tactics.

**Wolfe Names Schmitz**  
The First district yielded to the Seventh and William F. Wolfe of La Crosse took the platform to nominate Adolph J. Schmitz of Milwaukee as the democratic candidate for governor. In a ringing voice he lauded the democratic national candidate and predicted success at the polls in November.

He said he came to the platform to nominate a man known in every democratic household in Wisconsin for his honesty and integrity; a man who had made sacrifices and had carried the banner when there was no hope of reward. As the candidate of his party two years ago he had made a splendid campaign and he named Adolph J. Schmitz as the man who would lead Wisconsin democrats to victory this fall.

### Karel Is Named

The roll proceeded until the Fourth district was reached, when William J. Kershaw took the platform to place in nomination Judge John C. Karel of Milwaukee. He made the statement bluntly in his opening sentence and pandemonium broke loose, cheers and the university yell sounding throughout the theater. Young, energetic, capable, he said, Judge Karel was a progressive, but not so progressive that he could not distinguish between republican and democratic theories of government. His friends support him for governor because he stands boldly against the iniquitous and iniquitous income tax law, said Mr. Kershaw, and in closing pledged the support of Judge Karel and his friends to the ticket this fall.

Bert Williams of Ashland seconded the nomination of A. J. Schmitz when the Tenth district was reached.

Portraying the progressive tendencies of the democratic party, he assailed the record of Judge Karel as opposed to progressive measures and aroused a storm of cheers and hisses. He charged that in the assembly of 1901 Judge Karel had sat and voted with the railroad lobby. Yells of "When did you become a progressive?" "Nominate La Follette." "Go back to Ashland," interrupted the speaker and in reply to the La Follette taunt he said: "I'll nominate him later."

### Clear for Delay

After the Eleventh district had been called T. L. Cleary of Platteville moved that both names submitted to the convention be recommended to the people.

Dan H. Grady of Portage rose to a point of order, the point raised being that the roll had not been completed on nominations for governor

when Mr. Williams' seconding speech had been made and he asked that he be permitted to reply to the attack upon one of the candidates.

He was given the platform and expressed his sorrow at the poor taste shown in the attack upon Judge Karel's record by a man who asked the nomination for Lieutenant governor from the Oshkosh convention and at whose instance the resolutions endorsing William Jennings Bryan were tabled in a democratic state convention.

### Grady in Answer

"If there be no other charge against one of these candidates, gentlemen of this convention, than that he opposed the primary election law ten years ago," said Mr. Grady, "then Judge Karel is willing to meet that charge and there is hardly a delegate here of whom the same charge of opposition might not be made. To that law we owe most of the debauchery of Wisconsin politics and the spectacle of the putting up at auction of the highest office in the state, the senatorial toga, to be knocked down to the highest bidder."

He closed with the prediction that Judge Karel would receive 20,000 more votes than any other candidate for governor whom the convention could name.

T. L. Cleary renewed his motion that both names be submitted to the people. The Milwaukee delegates protested that no opportunity had been given for seconding speeches. The chair asked Mr. Cleary if he consented to a substitute.

"I do not," was the emphatic reply.

W. J. Zimmerman made an impassioned appeal to the convention's sense of justice, which caused Mr. Williams to join in the appeal and Mr. Cleary was asked to withdraw his motion.

### Motion Is Tabled

Again he refused, and Mr. Collins of Ozaukee moved that the Cleary motion be tabled. On a viva voce vote, the chair declared the motion carried.

A campaign fund of \$3,150 was raised, of which La Crosse county contributed \$250.

### Drawing The Lines

There were two great results accomplished by this morning's session of the democratic convention.

One was proof that the men back of J. C. Karel represent the Tory element of the party and the other was the overwhelming gains of the progressive faction or the Schmitz forces. The vote on the income tax plank in the platform shows a gain of 150 votes for the progressives.

Every Karel speaker last night maintained that he is a progressive. It is the claim of the progressive leaders that if the vote on Karel and Schmitz had been cast this morning Schmitz would have won two to one. This claim is substantiated by the vote on the F. E. Walsh proposed amendment to the platform which called for a repeal

of the income tax and the substitution of another law embodying the same principles.

The same speakers who nominated and seconded the nomination of Karel today expended the same fiery eloquence in the denunciation of progressive measures. Those who spoke for Schmitz were just as eloquent in their defense. The only difference in today's proceedings were that the Tory leaders had lost the greater part of their following.

William J. Kerschow, Milwaukee, who placed Karel's name in nomination, was leader in the attack today. He was assisted by Maurice McCabe, Hugh Ryan, F. E. Walsh, Milwaukee, and Dan Grady, Portage, all seconders of Karel's nomination, and Harry Bliens, Port Washington, the aspirant for lieutenant governor and founder of the "Anti-Income Tax League."

The men who defended the measure were A. J. Schmitz, Milwaukee, who was given an ovation as he appeared on the stage; Senator Paul Hastings, T. L. Cleary, Platteville; Bert Williams, Ashland; J. L. Aylward, Madison, and E. J. Dempsey, Winnebago City. These men all spoke for Schmitz last night. Williams' able handling of the subject has made him the strongest candidate in the convention for attorney general. It is unlikely, however, that he will enter the race against John Doherty of La Crosse.

### Beat Kneen to It

J. Kneen's plan to read Karel's record on the floor of the convention last night failed to materialize because Williams beat him to it. W. F. Wolfe's speech nominating Schmitz was as eloquent a portrayal of progressive democracy and the strength of his candidate as was Williams' showing up of the Tory crowd. Wolfe will nominate Doherty this afternoon.

25th semi-annual green tag July clearance sale at The Continental is now on.

### IN JUSTICE COURT.

State of Wisconsin, La Crosse County, City of La Crosse, ss.

To Charles Foust:  
You are hereby notified that a summons and garnishee summons has been issued against you, and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of William Vaughn, amounting to thirty and 50-100 dollars (\$30.50).

Now unless you shall appear before C. L. Baldwin, a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, at his office, in said City, on the 10th day of August, 1912, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1912.

WILLIAM VAUGHN, Plaintiff.

20 per cent discount on men's and young men's odd trousers at The Continental.

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## AYLWARD TRAPS BUSY MR. BOLENS

(Continued from Page One.)

er than a candidate or a personal campaign or party committee, who shall within any twelve months, make any disbursements for any political purpose, exceeding in the aggregate fifty dollars in amount and value, shall file within forty-eight hours after making any disbursement, causing the aggregate of such disbursements to reach such amount, a sworn statement thereof with the clerk of the county wherein he resides.

Boles continued his narration of the imaginary downfall of progressive republicanism, through the income tax law, which he branded as retrogressive, inquisitorial and ineffective.

"If we favor this measure the progressive republicans are going to vote the progressive republican ticket," shouted Henry, directing his remarks to Aylward. "If we take a firm stand against it we are going to get their votes." Then he stepped aside.

"Just one minute," said Mr. Aylward as Boles was leaving the room. "You say you have received \$2,000 answers to this and they are coming in at the rate of 1,000 per day. Now WHO PAID FOR THIS REFERENDUM?"

Henry half opened his mouth, closed it, opened it again and then stood for several seconds with it way open, gazing directly at Aylward.

"I said, 'Who paid for this referendum?'" repeated Aylward.

Henry recovered and declared, "Well, it wasn't any of the corruption leaders who sunk \$50,000 into the campaign fund of Bob La Follette."

"I know," coolly answered Aylward, "but you are not answering the question of 'Who paid for this referendum?'"

"Well," continued Henry, who had by this time recovered some of his rather discomposed bearing, "if it will appease you any I might state that I own a printing plant and got these out myself at little or no cost."

He gave figures indicating that the entire cost of stock, printing and mailing of 62,000 cards had been about \$52, but he did not say no more had been paid or deny that others had paid money for the work.

Today the question of "Who paid for Boles' referendum" is the all-absorbing question in political centers. Knowing that Henry is a frequent visitor at places which bear the name of reactionary "hangouts" there is little or no doubt in the minds of many as to just who "paid for the referendum."

Henry's argument killed the point he attempted to make when Aylward pointed out that according to the wording of the income tax wouldn't vote for a democrat if he didn't go on record against the measure. Henry denied that he was attempting to hold his alleged figures as a club over the heads of the resolution committeemen.

While there was some opposition to the law there was just as much sentiment in favor of it. Among those who were against repealing the measure were John Harrington, Oshkosh, state tax inheritance attorney; and William Panger, Milwaukee, employee and expert in the municipal tax assessor's office.

William F. Wolfe, La Crosse, is one of the most influential figures in the present convention. He is the man who is scheduled to nominate A. J. Schmitz, the progressive candidate for governor and democrats from all over the state are planning on a treat when his nominating speech is let out.

Mr. Wolfe's chief claim to popularity is the fact that despite his keen interest and untiring work for the cause of progressive democracy he is not asking anything in the way of reward. He is not seeking office. "Billy" Wolfe—as the delegates prefer to call him—could have been the nominee for governor. The Schmitz people would have withdrawn and a tentative promise of withdrawal had been received, it is claimed from the Karel faction. But "Billy" figures a sure legal practice in La Crosse better than the possibilities of the executive's seat—besides he likes La Crosse better than Madison.

John F. Doherty, another delegate from La Crosse, is "there with the goods" when it comes to wielding influence and as a member of the committee on permanent organization told many of the other committeemen where to "get off at."

To E. J. Kneen goes the heavy-weight scrapping belt of the Seventh district delegation. Kneen is the man who all day Thursday paraded around awaiting an opportunity to "read Karel's record." He had several copies of the document, one in each pocket, to prevent all chance of his losing the precious slip when the opportunity for telling of the judge's votes in the assembly should arise.

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Dated this 12th day of July, 1912.

M. L. MILLER, Plaintiff.

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## ALBERT BRZOWSKI DIES THIS MORNING

Albert Brzowski, 600 Charles street, died of old age at his home at seven o'clock this morning. He was ninety-five years old and he has resided in La Crosse for some time. The funeral will be private and will be held from the Holy Cross church at eight o'clock tomorrow morning with Rev. V. Tull officiating at the services. Friends please omit flowers.

NOTICE.

Parties having gasoline lamp lighting agreements with the late Wm. A. Downs, please notify Wm. F. Baker at the Baker-Niebuhr Co. store, Fifth and Jay streets.

## GREAT CLEARING SALE!

COATS AND SUITS—Best values at regular price. At this sale ..... ONE-HALF PRICE

MUSLIN, KNIT UNDERWEAR and NOTIONS must go, nothing reserved. All at HALF PRICE and less.

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Any pair of GLOVES .... ONE-HALF PRICE

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Special discount on all our WASH DRESSES and WAISTS.

The low prices on our WOOL and WASH SKIRTS are startling.

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# JULY CLEARANCE SALE

**Is On Gentlemen—So Buy Early—By Reducing Our Prices We Reduce Our Stock**

We are making this the most important of all previous sales, and we want you to share early in the remarkable values we are offering. The powerful buying facilities of our combined stores (seven in Wisconsin and Illinois) enables us to buy merchandise cheaper and on a larger scale than our competitors—and remember, our 20% discount off former low prices is equivalent to from 30 to 40 per cent discount elsewhere. Being ever alert—ever “on our toes” ready to take advantage of every opportunity that will net our patrons an unusual profit—that’s the policy that’s building up this business. These are the wide-awake progressive methods that are getting us the good will and patronage of the majority of men in this section. Your unrestricted choice of all our Hart, Schaffner & Marx, L System and Our Own Guaranteed Brand Clothes for Men and Young Men, Odd Trousers, Boys’ and Children’s Suits.

## TWENTY PER CENT OFF FORMER LOW PRICES

### MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS

\$12.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$10.00
\$15.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$12.00
\$18.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$14.40
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$16.00
\$25.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$18.00
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$19.20
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$20.00
\$20.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$20.80
\$22.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$22.40
\$24.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S SUITS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$24.00

### Men’s and Young Men’s Odd Trousers

\$2.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.00
\$3.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.40
\$3.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$2.80
\$4.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$3.20
\$4.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$3.60
\$5.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$4.00
\$6.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$4.80
\$6.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$5.20
\$7.00	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$5.60
\$7.50	MEN’S AND YOUNG MEN’S TROUSERS LESS 20 PER CENT	\$6.00

### Boys’ and Children’s All WOOL SUITS

\$4.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.40
\$5.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.80
\$5.50	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$3.60
\$6.00	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$4.00
\$6.50	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$4.80
\$7.50	Boy’s Suits Less 20 per cent	\$6.00



**THE CONTINENTAL**

HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGER

### Boys’ and Children’s WASH SUITS

\$1.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	80c
\$1.25	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.00
\$1.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.20
\$2.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$1.60
\$2.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.00
\$3.00	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.40
\$3.50	Wash Suits Less 20 per cent	\$2.80

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**The Store on the Corner with Prices on the Square—Cor. 4th and Pearl Street, La Crosse, Wis.**

#### RIGHT IS TOTAL DEAD

**BEN FRANKLIN MINE EXPLOSION**  
YESTERDAY KILLED MANY  
AND FATAALLY WOUNDED THREE

WHEELING, W. Va., July 12.—Duty Mine Inspector Earl Henry of Clon, W. Va., and Chief Mine Inspector John Laing of Charleston, arrived in Moundsville this morning to probe the cause of the gas explosion at the Ben Franklin mine yesterday, which eight were killed and three fatally injured. President Quade, owner of the mine, arrived from Pittsburgh and is giving every family monetary assistance. John Berry, superintendent of Parr’s coal mine, in leading the first rescue party, penetrated too far into the gas filled mine and was himself overcome but rescued.

**CYCLONE THOMPSON HOME.**  
SACAMORE, Ill., July 12.—Cyclone Johnny Thompson is home today for the first time since he battled twenty rounds to a draw with Frankie Mantell at Sacramento July 4. According to Thompson he would have knocked out the Rhode Island peach had it not been for an injury he sustained while training.

**MORRIS WINS IN HURRY**  
SAPULPA, Okla., July 12.—Carl Morris did not give the state police a chance to interfere in the fight with Con Comiskey here last night. Half a dozen blows were struck in the first round and Comiskey took the count.

#### FARMER IS CHARGED WITH SON’S MURDER

RHINELANDER, Wis., July 12.—George Kester, a farmer of Minocqua, Wis., was arrested and brought here for a hearing on the charge of having killed his adopted son, Edward Conder, a boy of 13 years, whose body was found in the river near Minocqua on Monday.

#### NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS.

The undersigned printing committee of the County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County hereby request sealed bids for county job printing and book binding for the year ending July 1, 1913, as per schedule on file in the office of the county clerk.

Sealed bids will also be received for publishing the proceedings of the County Board of Supervisors.

Sealed proposals for such printing and binding will be received at the office of the County Clerk up to 2 o’clock p. m., July 17, 1912.

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County clerk in the sum of \$50.00.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish bonds for the faithful performance of contract.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated La Crosse, Wis., July 5, 1912.

L. SCHERHART,  
JOHN A. WEBER,  
F. J. BROWN,  
Printing Committee.

#### ORANGEMEN DO BATTLE

**60,000 CELEBRATE BATTLE OF THE BOYNE BY BIG RIOT AND FIGHT WITH POLICE IN BELFAST**

BELFAST, July 12.—An outbreak of rioting between home rulers and anti-home rulers followed an attempt by the former today to break up an anniversary celebration in commemoration of Boyne.

Sixty thousand anti-home rulers were marching towards the white abbey to adopt resolutions in opposition to self government for Ireland when the trouble started. The paraders desperately resisted repeated efforts to break their ranks and to tear down an arch erected in honor of them. An orgy of stone throwing and window smashing ensued and when the police tried to restore order, both sides fought them furiously. Scores were hurt by flying stones, and two policemen were so badly injured that they are in the hospital.

The Orangemen finally reached the abbey where resolutions were adopted for the resistance of home rule to the last ditch. More trouble is feared.

**2,200 APPLY FOR JOB**  
LONDON, July 12.—The owners of Caxton Hall, Westminster, advertised for a hallkeeper who could show testimonials for faithfulness, honesty, tact and intelligence. The job was worth \$8.75 a week and 2,200 applications were received. Of these 900 had credentials which were beyond reproach. The man who got the job is an Oxford graduate.

#### STRAY CRUCIFIX IS WORTH \$125,000

MADRID, July 12.—Ten years ago a carved ivory crucifix was bought at a rag fair at Reus. On her death, soon after, the purchaser left the crucifix to her daughter, wife of the deputy, Senor Mayner. A visitor to the house offered Senor Mayner \$500 for it, but it was refused. An antiquarian, learning of the existence of the crucifix, offered \$75,000, but this, too, was declined.

It is now known that the crucifix is one of the finest carvings of Leonardo da Vinci. An offer of \$125,000 from an American collector is being considered.

#### NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS.

The undersigned committee on buildings and grounds will receive bids at the La Crosse County Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 2:00 o’clock p. m., for the furnishing of 200 tons more or less of smokeless coal, to be delivered at the La Crosse County Court House and Jail, and 75 tons more or less to be delivered on sidetrack near the La Crosse County Poor Farm. Owner will do the hauling at Poor Farm. The coal to be delivered as needed during the season of 1912 and 1913.

The committee solicits propositions on two grades, lump or run of mine.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

PETER LEHNEN,  
GEO. J. RITTER,  
J. H. MORAN,  
Committee.

#### CHILD SAVES MOTHER

**NEW YORK WOMAN TAKES SICK BABY TO PARK AND IS ARRESTED FOR BEING ON THE GRASS**

NEW YORK, July 12.—Because her baby cried all night and the doctor told her that it must have fresh air or it would surely die, Mrs. Rebecca Koploff took it to Central park. But the park was hot and under the trees the child seemed to have trouble getting its breath. Just beyond there was a wide open space of nice sod and the woman—she is young and speaks very little English—took it to her. She carefully removed her own petticoat and spread it on the grass and the little one was soon sleeping contentedly.

A policeman blew his whistle, but the young mother had dropped off to sleep herself. He came over and roughly aroused her. He upbraided her for walking on the grass which Park Commissioner Stover had declared must be kept sacred and finally bundled her into a patrol wagon and carried her off to court.

Magistrate Herbert promptly fined the woman, whose husband earns \$8 weekly working eleven hours daily in a laundry, one dollar. She had not the money to pay and told the court that if she had she would use it for food. Finally, after the probation officer had begged that the woman be not sent to jail and had pointed out that if she was, the child would probably die there, Magistrate Herbert reluctantly remitted the fine.

#### MOVIE ACTORS IN REAL LIFE PLAY

COPENHAGEN, July 12.—A party of actors and actresses, while preparing for a thrilling sea drama for cinematograph shows, had a taste of the real thing. They chartered a steamer at Lemvig and cruised along the coast. In order to get the right setting for a shipwreck scene they approached close to the shore. The camera was busily recording the rescue of the heroine by the hero when a storm arose. For ten hours the steamer struggled to get seaward. A fishing trawler from Lemvig came to the rescue. The actors were taken off, and five minutes later the steamer sank.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned at the office of the County Clerk in the Court House, on July 17, 1912, at 3 o’clock p. m., for re-setting the boilers in the court house.

For information regarding the work to be done address the undersigned committee.

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the County Clerk in the sum of \$50.00. The committee reserves the privilege of rejecting any and all bids.

Dated July 5, 1912.

PETER LEHNEN,  
GEO. J. RITTER,  
J. H. MORAN,  
Buildings and Grounds Committee.

Bravado can prompt a man to do all sorts of foolish things, but courage keeps him wise.

#### JUDGE BACKS HANFORD

**U. S. JUDGE CUSHMAN DECLARES BROTHER JURIST NEVER TOOK MORE THAN 2 COCKTAILS**

SEATTLE, Wash., July 12.—United States Judge Edwin E. Cushman, whose territorial jurisdiction is co-extensive with that of Judge C. H. Hanford, now under impeachment investigation here, was the first witness called before the congressional probers today. His testimony was practically the same as that given by other friends of Judge Hanford. He declared that he had never seen the judge take more than two cocktails at one time and he never observed him under the slightest influence of liquor.

J. W. McLean, former postoffice clerk, testified he saw Judge Hanford positively intoxicated on a street car.

#### FRENCH PREMIER TO VISIT IN RUSSIA

PARIS, July 12.—It is understood here that Prime Minister Poincare will advance the date of his visit to Russia and his meeting with the Russian Foreign Minister. He is expected to leave Paris at the end of July. The agitation of the question of an alliance between France and England makes this visit of more than usual interest, especially as France and Russia are already allies.



STORE  
OPENS  
9:30 A. M.

# SCOTT-ROSE COMPANY

VISIT  
THE ORIENTAL  
RUG SALE

418-420 MAIN STREET

## Annual Remnant Sale

An event that is looked forward to by thousands of women in La Crosse and vicinity as the Greatest Bargain Event of the Year.

**Sale BEGINS SATURDAY MORNING At 9:30**

All remnants, broken assortments, discontinued numbers and odds and ends from every department in our store will be closed out

## AT HALF PRICE AND LESS

**DON'T MISS THIS GREAT BARGAIN EVENT**

### Wash Goods Remnants

We have gone through our Wash Goods and White Goods stocks, taking out all remnants and short lengths of imported and domestic fabrics, consisting of India Linens, Lawns, Dimities, Batiste, Embroidered Swisses, Voiles, Tissues, Linettes, Waistings, Percales, Gingham, Cambric, Muslins, etc.

We Have Cut the Prices in Half.

Regular prices 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25  
Sale prices ... 5c, 6¼c, 7½c, 12½c, 25c, 50c, 62½c

### Wash Braids

All remnants of Cash's Imported fast colored Braids go at HALF PRICE

Regular prices ..... 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c  
Sale prices ..... 2½c, 5c, 6¼c, 7½c, 9c

### Ladies' Neckwear Half Price

Jabots, Fichues, Cascades, Chemisettes, Sailor Collars and fancy Ribbon Novelties.

Neckwear that sold at 25c and 35c, each ..... 15c  
Neckwear that sold at 50c and 75c, each ..... 25c

### Ribbon Bargains

Every odd piece and short length in the stock, wide widths in plain and fancy ribbons, good colors, that sold up to 35c a yard, per yard ..... 10c

### Embroidery Remnants Half Price

Hundreds of yards of finest embroideries, all kinds and widths, in good useful lengths. They all go in this great remnant sale at... **JUST HALF PRICE**

### SPECIAL SALE OF Oriental Rugs

The Morradian Bros. of New York, the native importers of Oriental Rugs, will be with us for about ten days. We desire to recommend them as being absolutely reliable. Their experience of 17 years' rug dealing in this country and their lifetime knowledge of rug weaving, in all its details, in their native land, place them among the few experts in this country who are really capable of distinguishing between the imitation and the

#### GENUINE ORIENTAL RUGS

The superb collection that will be shown here contains some rare pieces that cannot be found in any other collection in this country or in Europe. You are cordially invited to inspect these beauties of the Orient in our

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT, 3rd Floor

Prices are very reasonable. Come and see.

## DRAPERIES HALF PRICE

(THIRD FLOOR)

Odd Lace Curtains, worth up to \$1.25 pair. To close out, each ..... **35c**

Printed Scrims, in short lengths, worth 25c. To close out, per yard ... **12½c**

Scotch Madras, remnants only, worth up to 50c. To close, at per yard ..... **25c**

### GREAT HALF PRICE SALE Ladies' Coats and Suits

All the Coats and Suits offered in this sale are this season's styles. Take advantage of this great Half Price sale to anticipate your wants for early fall.

Coats that sold at ..... \$10.00 to \$35.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... **\$5.00 to \$17.50**

Suits that sold at ..... \$10.00 to \$45.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... **\$5.00 to \$22.50**

### Muslin Underwear Half Price

Gowns, Skirts, Combinations, Princess Slips, Corset Covers and Drawers. A big assortment but only one or two garments of a kind.

Garments that sold at ..... 50c to \$6.00  
Half Price sale, each ..... **25c to \$3.00**

### Hosiery Half Price

Ladies', children's and infants' stockings. Small quantities of our best makes.

Stockings that sold at ..... 25c, 35c and 50c  
Half Price sale, pair at ..... **12½c, 17½c and 25c**

### Underwear Half Price

Ladies' Vests and Drawers, Children's Vests, Drawers and Union Suits, Infants' Vests.

Garments that sold at ..... 15c to \$1.25  
Half Price sale, each ..... **7½c to 62½c**

### Lace Remnants Half Price

Remnants of novelty laces, wash laces, nets and allover, also dress trimmings. All short lengths of this season's best sellers, go in this sale at

**HALF PRICE**

## Basement China Glassware

5c thin blown Glass TUMBLERS, at only each ..... **3c**  
20c Imported China CUPS and SAUCERS, at only each ..... **10c**  
20c Imported China DINNER PLATES, at only each ..... **10c**  
50c Imitation Cut Glass BERRY BOWLS, at only each ..... **25c**  
50c fine GLASS PITCHERS, new designs, at only each ..... **25c**

## MILLINERY

LESS THAN HALF PRICE

Stylish Trimmed Hats, all colors, worth up to \$7.00, choice each ..... **\$1.00**

RATINE OUTING HATS, special each ..... **95c**

Children's Trimmed Hats, sold at 98c to \$2.50, choice each ..... **49c, 98c**

Our entire stock of Untrimmed Shapes, in burnt and black straw, choice each ..... **50c, 98c**

## Basement Dry Goods

15c Ladies', Children's and Men's Hose, at only per pair ..... **8c**  
Figured and plain Crib Blankets, worth 50c, at only each ..... **39c**  
\$1 Bath Mats, all colors, at only each ..... **69c**  
36 inch L L Unbleached Muslin, worth 7½c, at only per yard ..... **5½c**  
8c Unbleached Shaker Flannel, at only yard ..... **5½c**  
8½c Apron Gingham in all colors, at only yard ... **6½c**

## 108 ENTERED IN FIRST FIELD MEET

First Inter - Playground Track and Field Meet Comes Saturday, July 13

### CLASSES DIVIDED BY MEET

Junior and Senior Events in Evening; Midgets and Boys Work in the Afternoon

The first Inter-Playground Track and Field meet is to be held at the Copeland Park Playground, Saturday, July 13. Entries closed last evening at the various playgrounds and judging from the number of these the meet promises to be an unequalled success. Entries have been received to the number of 108, the greatest number coming from Copeland Playground where the meet is to be held. Work is progressing rapidly on the new track at the North side park and it will be given its first test this coming Saturday.

This meet is the first of a series of meets to be held between the different playgrounds of the city during the summer months. The next meet, which is to be held July 20, will be on the South side.

The meets will be divided into two parts; one part to be held in the afternoon for the midgets and boys, the second part in the evening for the Juniors and Seniors. The afternoon meets will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock, the evening meets at 7 o'clock.

Four places are given for points: First place, five points; second place, three points; third place, two points; and fourth place, one point. Prizes will be given to the winners of the first three places. The prizes, which are ribbons, are now being exhibited in the windows of The E. R. Barron Co. and Doffinger's.

Classification of men follows: Midgets, 85 pounds and under.

Boys, 86 to 115 inclusive.

Juniors, 116 to 150 inclusive.

Seniors, 151 pounds and upwards.

An athlete will be judged in athletic costume, minus shoes. The scales will be set at the weight specified for each class, and a competitor raising the beam shall be disqualified. Athletes found to be too heavy for the class in which they enter will not be allowed to compete in any other class.

The events for the various classes follow:

Midgets—50 yard dash; running high jump; standing broad jump; 60 yard relay race.

Boys—75 yard dash; running broad jump; running high jump; 440 yard relay race; four potato race.

Juniors—100 yard dash; running high jump; 440 yard run; 80 yard relay race; running broad jump; pole vault.

Seniors—100 yard dash; running high jump; running broad jump; 880 yard run; pole vault; shot put; race; shot put.

That the meet will be a fit one is easily seen from the following:

Lee Griffin, the normal 11 who broke three records in the city meet is entered in the senior division in the high jump, 100 yard dash and broad jump.

O. Strum, a crack athlete who in high school, is entered in the same division in the 880 yard run, the pole vault and the mile.

R. Harris, who makes the 100 yard dash in 10 2-5 seconds is representing the Copeland Park playground in this event.

Rasmussen is bound to show speed in this same event as are also C. Beranek of Hood street playgrounds can run the potato race in great style and the other playgrounds will have to hustle to take its event.

**FORBID ROBBER PICTURE**

PARIS, July 12.—The Prefect of Police in many parts of France is forbidding the moving picture exhibition of the exploits of the Bant Bonnot and his band, on the ground that it would tend to stimulate imitators.

**SCHOOL BUILDING, DRESSBACH, MINNESOTA.**

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a brick and tile school building, including all labor and material, except heating and plumbing, will be received by the School Board in the Village of Dressbach, Minnesota, until 5 o'clock of 10 a. m., on the 15th of July, 1912.

All bids must be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Percy D. Witz, Bentley, architect, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, which may be had on application to the Builders' Exchange of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and at the Clerk's office at Dressbach, Minn.

A certified check for two percent (2 per cent) of the amount of bid payable to the order of Mr. Chas. Zisch must accompany each bid as a guaranty, the same to be returned to the unsuccessful bidder immediately on the letting of the contract.

The party to whom the contract is awarded will be required to give a satisfactory bond of fifty per cent (50 per cent) of the amount of the contract for the faithful performance of the contract.

It is the intention of the Board to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, but the right to accept any or reject any or all proposals is reserved.

(Signed) CHAS. ZISCH,  
Clerk of the School Board.



## STATE IS FIELD OF WHITE SLAVER

Department of Justice Officials Working on One of Biggest Conspiracies Discovered

### LA CROSSE NOT EXEMPTED

Territory About Gateway City Has Been Visited by Special Agent on the Trail

That Wisconsin has been an unusually fertile field for white slavers and that hundreds of girls taken from the rural districts have been placed in resorts in the cities is one of the revelations of representatives of the Department of Justice who have been working on what promises to be one of the biggest white slave conspiracies ever brought to light.

That the territory around La Crosse has not been exempt from the illicit operations of the "gang" is another startling fact revealed by a special agent who but recently completed investigations into the disappearance of several young girls whose homes were in this part of the state. During the course of his work he made several visits to La Crosse but owing to the policy of the Attorney General's department in the running down of the slavers refused to state whether or not arrests would be made here.

First Step Taken. According to the special agent, however, the recent sentencing in Milwaukee of Sam Dagesello, an Italian, to three years in Port Leavenworth penitentiary for placing a Ruby Roser in a disorderly house, was one of the first steps towards cleaning up the alleged gang and the comparatively light sentence which he received was in return for valuable information which he is said to have divulged to the government operatives.

The first intimation that an organization, the purpose of which was traffic in women, had been perfected, came recently following the arrest in that city of Frank Pedone, aged 22, an Italian. Pedone pleaded guilty to the charge of placing Margaret Felski, a Milwaukee girl, in a house of ill fame.

When first placed under arrest Pedone took the matter lightly and was immediately communicated with by one of Chicago's best known and ablest Italian attorneys. He was in constant communication with the Chicago lawyer, and daily received advice from him.

Believing that Pedone could procure such assistance only through the influence of others, the federal authorities started working on the theory that there was a gang. Their investigations, declares the special agent, who visited La Crosse, took them to Chicago where they unearthed information as to the headquarters and members of the gang which, when made public, will prove highly sensational. Influential and prominent Windy City Italians are said to be parties to the conspiracy and in the event they are arrested, furries in financial and commercial circles will follow.

Pleaded Guilty. Following the Chicago investigations conferences were held between the government men and Pedone and soon after this Pedone consented to plead guilty, throwing himself on the mercies of Federal Judge F. A. Geiger. He was sentenced to three years. What he told, the Special Agent naturally declined to discuss.

While confined in the Milwaukee county jail awaiting trial, says the Special Agent, Pedone's cell was in such a position that he could communicate with Lagesello. Despite the fact that in public or before the jail authorities they professed to be strangers it became known that once alone they talked in their native tongue. What they discussed the agent refused to divulge but admits that it was through these jail talks that the government secured information which will prove invaluable in the running down of white slavers and the solving of the mysterious disappearance of several girls from the western part of Wisconsin.

The crime with which Lagesello was charged, declared the Special Agent in La Crosse Sunday, was one of the best illustrations of how the gang operates and is in itself almost conclusive proof that there is an organization, well financed and that the gang has any number of helpers distributed in various Wisconsin cities, towns and villages.

Many Spotters. Ruby Roser, the girl whom Lagesello placed in a resort, lived on a farm in the southern portion of the state. She was comely and shapely and her segregation from city life made her more susceptible to the wiles of a handsome stranger. How the Chicago white slave dealers heard of her is a mystery, as it is in every case where a young girl is lured from her home. That the

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409-411-413 Main Street

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Ladies' 16 button length, double tipped fingers. Regular \$1.00 value, at the pair ... **75c**

### HAIR GOODS

All our Hair Goods Reduced.

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Switches at ..... **98c**  
\$2.50 Switches at ..... **\$1.49**  
\$4.50 Switches at ..... **\$3.00**  
\$6.00 Switches at ..... **\$4.50**

### Two Special Corset Bargains

G-D Justrite corsets, latest styles. Regular \$1.50 model, at ..... **98c**

G-D and Warner's, latest models, \$2.00 and \$2.25 values **\$1.49** at .....

### BED SPREADS

Full size bed spreads, regular \$1.25 values, at ..... **98c**

### TABLE LINEN

72 inch Satin Damask Table Linen. Always sold at \$1.25, at the yard ..... **89c**

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### All Our Trimmed Hats Go Regardless of Price

### Untrimmed Hats, Black and Colors, at 1/2 Price

All hats in our stock are good values. Now is the time to pick out your shape and material, as we will trim them FREE OF CHARGE.

Midsummer Hats in Canvas and Panama.

MISS B. THOMPSON.

### EMBROIDERIES

45 inch Embroidery Flouncings—Regular \$1.25 values, at the yard ..... **69c**

### CURTAIN NETS

Your choice of our entire stock of curtain nets. Values up to 39c; to close, your choice at the yard ..... **15c**

Your choice of our entire stock that sold up to 69c, at the yard ..... **39c**

### WASH GOODS

Silk stripe French Voiles. This cloth never sold for less than 25c. For this sale at the yard ..... **15c**

### EXTRA SPECIAL

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Extra Special  
\$1.25 Wash Skirts slightly soiled ..... **50c**  
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Dresses in Lingerie and Lawn worth \$4 to \$6 .. **\$2.85**  
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## SPECTACLE FAKER APPEARS AGAIN

Rural Districts Around La Crosse Suffer from Victims of Fake Glasses Fitters

Fitting eye-glasses is an old calling and it has always been replete of fraud. Do you remember the gross of green spectacles with copper rims and shagreen cases in "The Veil of Wakefield" that Moses brought home from the fair?

Like medicine eye-doctoring has an ugly heritage. It has to live down its past. And, unfortunately, the past is very well represented in the present. It besmirches those who have anything to do with the eyes. The counters of the 5 and 10 cent store and the obvious fakers who go about the country are the crudest survivors. The fakers are clever. You cannot always distinguish the earmarks. Their perceptive minds are forever at work on schemes to frighten or hoodwink.

But you can keep fairly clear of them by never buying glasses at a fair or from strangers, who appear at your door, no matter what their credentials may appear to be. Respectable men have established places of business and stay there.

Lately a stranger called on the farmers on the St. Joseph Ridge, carrying a costly leather hand bag filled with articles usually carried by a lady of refinement, and supposed to have been lost along the road and picked up by this stranger. He would ask for a drink of water and incidentally show his find, in which was a pair of glasses, inclosed in a fine silver case.

He had no use for the glasses, but the case he prized for his wife's glasses. The farmer tried the glasses and if he could use them the stranger would get from three to five dollars for the supposed gold glasses.

He would then wander along and put a new pair of glasses in the case and stop for a drink at the next farm house.

Several farmers were fooled by this clever faker.

Still another faker with professional cards has been faking the farmers up on the Sand Lake Coulee.

His scheme is a "free examination," which is only a guess and several children are sufferers from this fakers visit.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1912.

By the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.  
JAMES THOMPSON,  
Attorney for Estate.

## WORRY SHORTENS LIFE

ENGLISH WOMAN AT 108 SAYS HARD WORK AND NO TROUBLE KEEPS PEOPLE YOUNG

LONDON, July 12.—Lack of worry is the secret of longevity, according to Mrs. Rebecca Clark, the oldest woman in London, who is receiving a flood of congratulatory letters having attained her 108th year.

"Contentment is my idea of elixir of life," she said. "But, along with it go early rising, hard work and total abstinence. I also find that moping is a good thing, if you can afford it. I always feel about ten years younger after a motor drive. I am looking forward with pleasure to a long run through the country this summer."

Mrs. Clark's sight is so well preserved that she can thread a needle without the use of glasses. Her hearing is also excellent. Owing to the stormy weather Mrs. Clark spent her birthday indoors in her little cottage at Wood Green. She rose, as is her custom, at a very early hour, and ate a hearty breakfast. After lunch she sat by a window and watched the children play in the street, while her younger relatives went to sleep. She enjoyed her birthday cake in the evening with childish zest.

## JOYFEST HOLDS TOWN

AARAU DEDICATES CREMATORY WITH GRAND MUNICIPAL SPREE AND A BIG BLOWOUT

GENEVA, July 12.—The town of Aarau, metropolis of the canton of Aarau, had the giddiest time of its history in dedicating its brand new \$30,000 crematory.

Following the formal opening of the edifice, whose architect, by the way, was a Herr Froelich (Mr. Jay-full!) the 3,000 inhabitants gave themselves over to an afternoon and night of feast and frolic. First there was a big banquet in the principal hotel at which the leading citizens pointed out with justifiable municipal pride to the great dome of the new building towering over the town's most beautiful park, called the "Rose Garden". In the evening the townsfolk settled down to enjoy themselves in a form of amusement known as a "gemuetliche vereiningung", the nearest approach to which is, perhaps, an Irish wake, and which usually lasts from 9 p. m. until daylight. On this occasion, however, the ringing of the school bells next morning found many of the revelers still at it.

Striking waiters now seeking their old places have discovered tardily that lowering the tray beats raising the deuce.

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**Our Sausages** are wholesome and pure and have that delicious, palate pleasing richness that only comes by expertly handling the best and purest of meats and imported spices that go to make it.

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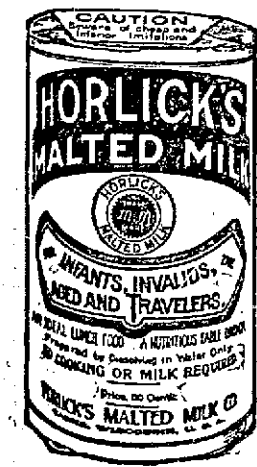
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conspiracy includes hundreds of "lookouts" or "spotters" who masquerade in the cities and small towns under the guise of respectability is another theory or branch of the conspiracy which is being investigated.

Lagesello is the man, declares the agent, who was picked to "get" simple Ruby Roser. Lagesello, now at farm work, never-the-less secured a job on an adjoining farm and soon made the acquaintance of the green country girl. His relations with her were those of a lover. He talked of love and the days when they would be married. But while he pictured love rosily his most brilliant colors were used in painting in Ruby's mind of life in the city. He told her of the Great White Ways, of an easy life where it was all play and no work, where money flowed like the champagne that was drunk and silks and satins, finer than her best Sunday dress, were worn every day. He told her of the life where night was changed into day and day into night, of the countless admirers she would have anxious to throw themselves and their purses at her feet. And Ruby, the trusting country girl that she was, to use the vernacular of the street, "fell for it."

The rest was easy. A quiet night when her parents were away, a trip to the nearby railway station and a ride for Milwaukee. There she was placed in a cheap rooming house by Lagesello and later inveigled into a resort to enter upon a life of shame and degradation and which, even if she tried, it would be almost impossible to leave.

But the government's men are constantly on the lookout for such cases as that of the Roser girl and from a mysterious source secured the "tip" which resulted in the arrest of Lagesello and the subsequent freeing of Roser. She was returned to her parents on the little farm in southern Wisconsin, a sadder but wiser Ruby.

While in La Crosse Sunday the Special Agent also admitted that his department had been furnished with names of a number of Western Wisconsin girls, most of them products of the rural districts, who had mysteriously disappeared. These disappearances, he said, were being kept quiet while Uncle Sam is using every power available to trace them and bring to justice the men suspected of being responsible for their disappearance.

"Why did you call your boat Rumor?" "Because I wanted her to keep afloat."

## GAME WARDENS EXAMINED.

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—The promotional examination for game wardens was concluded Tuesday. The utmost secrecy has been maintained in giving the test, all the wardens in the state being present in the examining room. The state civil service commission has been co-operating with the state game warden for the last three years with the idea of increasing the efficiency of the staff. The wardens were notified of the examination over a year ago and were told that their future advancement in the service depended largely upon the showing there to be made.

## "I Don't Chafe Any more!"

"All that awful smarting and burning of my skin in tender places gone forever; I used to chafe so I could hardly walk—clothes stuck to my skin and rubbed great raw spots. I was tortured in spots and wretched all over. Now I use



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## SPORTING NEWS

### LOCAL BOYS ON NEBRASKA TEAM

Bond, Weigert and Meinert of Outcasts and Other Minny Players Stand-bys of Superior

A glance at the lineup of the Superior, Neb., baseball club reveals the fact that several former Minny leaguers are playing on that team. Three of the Outcasts and two Rochester players being with that club. In their last game, Superior beat out York by the score of 8 to 7 in ten rounds and it was said that the new players greatly strengthened the club. Bond, former manager of the Outcasts, is playing second base, Charlie Weigert, appears at short-stop, Dutch Meinert is in center field, Manager Lizzette of Rochester is behind the bat, and Dreis, Rochester third baseman, is stationed in right field.

With five Minny league players in the lineup, Superior won from York. Bond played the role of fence buster, getting a three bagger and a home run in four times up. Meinert made one hit in three trips to the plate and Weigert got a swat in four times up. Dreis is also hitting well, the former Rochester player making two bingles in five attempts. Lizzette failed to hit one safely. All the men played good fielding games although Weigert made three errors but he handled the remaining six chances without a mistake.

### CHICAGO AUTO CLUB TO MANAGE RACE

CHICAGO, July 12.—That the Chicago Automobile club has undertaken the responsibility of directing this year's Elgin road races, abandoned by the Chicago Motor club, was the announcement to Fred W. Jencks, manager of the Elgin Automobile Racing association, today. Jencks stated that the Automobile club will be given full power to solicit entries and manage the races and that the Elgin association will assume all expenses and liabilities and furnish the prize money.

Jawn Titus, in his 95th or thereabouts year in baseball, has become speedy enough to lead off for the Boston Beane. He got on five times in five trips up, by the clean hit route.

### CUBS TAKE THIRD FROM THE GIANTS

Sheckard's Homer in the Eighth Inning Puts the Game on Ice for Chicago, 11 to 7

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Chicago, 11; New York, 7.  
CHICAGO, July 12.—The Cubs made it three out of four in the series with the Giants, the Chicagoans winning yesterday, 11 to 7. Wilts was knocked out of the box in the second and Lavender was benched in the sixth when the Giants had the bases full, one run across and none out. Cheney finally retired the visitors, but not until they had chased in five tallies. The Cubs won the game in the eighth when Sheckard put one in the right field seats for a homer. The game was loosely played, New York making four errors and Chicago three. Score: Chicago, 11; New York, 7.  
R H E  
Chicago . . . 02004005x—11 10 3  
Batteries: Wilts, Crandall and Meyers; Lavender, Cheney and Archer.

Cincinnati, 3-2; Brooklyn, 2-3.  
CINCINNATI, July 12.—After winning nine straight games from Brooklyn the Reds dropped the second contest of the double header to Dahlen's men yesterday, 3 to 2. They took the first game, 3 to 2. Score: Cincinnati, 3; Brooklyn, 2.  
R H E  
Cincinnati . . . 010000010—3 8 0  
Brooklyn . . . 010000002—2 7 2  
Batteries: Ragon, Kretzer and Miller; Fromme and McLean.

St. Louis, 9; Boston, 6.  
ST. LOUIS, July 12.—The Cardinals won a loosely played game from Boston yesterday, 9 to 6. Konetchy got two hits in three times at bat. Score: St. Louis, 9; Boston, 6.  
R H E  
St. Louis . . . 303000000—9 12 2  
Boston . . . 00310001x—6 12 2  
Batteries: Taylor, Dickinson and Rariden; Steele, Salice, Dale and Bliss.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Cleveland, 9; Washington, 3.  
WASHINGTON, July 12.—The Naps broke the Senators' winning streak yesterday by defeating them, 9 to 3. The feature of the game was

the hitting of Jackson and Livingston. Score: R H E  
Cleveland . . . 201102111—9 15 1  
Washington . . . 100000200—2 8 3  
Batteries: Steele and Livingston; Ebgle, Henry and Williams.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
Louisville, 4; Milwaukee, 2.  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 12.—Kroh baffled the Brewers yesterday while the Colonels bunched hits and took the last game of the series 4 to 2. Score: R H E  
Louisville . . . 300100000—4 9 1  
Milwaukee . . . 010000010—2 6 1  
Batteries: Kroh and Ludwig; Nicholson, Hovik, Marlon and Schalk.

Kansas City, 7; Indianapolis, 3.  
KANSAS CITY, July 12.—Kansas City found Hixon easy in the early rounds and defeated Indianapolis 7 to 3. Score: R H E  
Kansas City . . . 41020000x—7 11 2  
Indianapolis . . . 001000020—3 5 0  
Batteries: Hixon and Ashenfelder; Gallia and O'Connor.  
Toledo, 2; St. Paul, 1.  
ST. PAUL, July 12.—Toledo won a pitchers' battle from St. Paul yesterday, 2 to 1. Score: R H E  
Toledo . . . 001000000—2 1 1  
St. Paul . . . 00100111x—1 12 0  
Batteries: Falkenberg and Land; Karger and Murray.

Minneapolis, 5; Columbus, 1.  
MINNEAPOLIS, July 12.—Cy Young was in fine form yesterday, holding the Senators to four hits and the Millers pounded out a 5 to 1 victory. Score: R H E  
Minneapolis . . . 000100000—1 4 1  
Columbus . . . 00100111x—5 12 0  
Batteries: McQuillen and S. Smith; Young and W. Smith.

### MAY CALL OFF BIG AIR DERBY

CHICAGO, July 12.—The American grand circuit aviation races recently slashed from 1,150 to 1,000, may be called off altogether, according to an announcement made here today by the executive committee of the Aero Club of America. Unless the Chicago Aero club comes to the rescue, according to the A. C. A. there will be no aerial race over the central west this year.

Lack of sufficient funds was given by the national body as the reason for its action. But \$48,000 has been pledged for the event. One hundred thousand dollars was needed for the prizes also. The only cities to respond to the call for funds were Chicago, Dayton, Detroit and Akron. O. Directors of the Chicago club will meet within a few days to discuss methods for raising money to promote the derby.

**CORRETT'S TEACHER DEAD.**  
NEW YORK, July 12.—Walter Watson, known as an instructor in boxing, is dead at his home in this city. He became famous years ago as the man who discovered and brought out Jim Corbett, when the former heavyweight champion was but a youth in San Francisco.

### STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League		
	Won	Lost
New York	57	16
Chicago	43	23
Pittsburgh	42	29
Cincinnati	39	37
Philadelphia	31	37
Brooklyn	29	44
St. Louis	29	48
Boston	22	55

American League		
	Won	Lost
Boston	53	25
Washington	48	32
Chicago	43	32
Philadelphia	42	33
Cleveland	40	39
Detroit	39	39
St. Louis	21	53
New York	19	52

American Association		
	Won	Lost
Columbus	59	29
Toledo	55	32
Minneapolis	53	34
Kansas City	44	44
Milwaukee	40	51
St. Paul	37	53
Louisville	33	51
Indianapolis	32	58

Wisconsin-Illinois League		
	Won	Lost
Oshkosh	40	35
Appleton	39	36
Racine	39	35
Wausau	35	32
Rockford	32	34
Green Bay	32	34
Aurora	25	39
Madison	22	45

YESTERDAY'S GAMES		
	Won	Lost
Chicago, 11; New York, 7.		
Philadelphia, 0; Pittsburgh, 0.		
(called in first inning, rain.)		
Brooklyn, 2-3; Cincinnati, 3-0.		
St. Louis, 8; Boston, 4.		

American Association		
	Won	Lost
Louisville, 4; Milwaukee, 2.		
Minneapolis, 5; Columbus, 1.		
Kansas City, 7; Indianapolis, 3.		
Toledo, 2; St. Paul, 1.		

Wisconsin-Illinois League		
	Won	Lost
Racine, 8; Rockford, 6.		
Wausau, 5; Appleton, 3.		
Aurora, 5; Madison, 2.		
Green Bay, 2; Oshkosh, 1.		

GAMES TODAY		
	National League	American League
Boston at Chicago.		
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.		
New York at St. Louis.		
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.		
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St. Louis at New York.		
Detroit at Boston.		
Cleveland at Washington.		
Indianapolis at Milwaukee.		

Louisville at Kansas City.  
Toledo at St. Paul.  
Columbus at Minneapolis.  
**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Madison at Aurora.  
Rockford at Racine.  
Oshkosh at Green Bay.  
Appleton at Wausau.

### O'BRIEN MAY MEET AD.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Young Jack O'Brien, the clever Philadelphia lightweight, has signed a contract with Manager Billy Gibson of the Garden A. C. to appear in three bouts before Labor day. Gibson has not announced O'Brien's opponents, but it is known they will be selected from a list including Ad Wolgast, Joe Rivers, Willie Ritchie, Packey McFarland and Jack Britton. Gibson rates O'Brien a coming champion contender.

### T. R. EXPLAINS HIS STAND ON ELECTORS

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 12.—Because of the charge of certain republican leaders that he personally was advocating violation of one of the chief tenets of the new progressive party, Col. Roosevelt this afternoon expressed his position on the disputed electors in the primary states. "Every honest elector in the direct primary states," he said, "must vote for me or not run for elector at all. Mr. Taft is not the nominee of the republican party. He is the fraudulent nominee of the Barnes, Penrose, Guggenheim regime which nullified the wish of the great majority of the republicans of the nation." Roosevelt said that Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, had told him that he was going to resign and throw his fortunes with the colonel. "I told him," said Roosevelt, "that this is a crusader's fight and he said he should carefully consider everything before acting."

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of George Cook for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Wesley Cook, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By the Court,  
**JOHN COSTLEY,**  
Register in Probate.

Terry Turner slammed out four hits in as many times up against the Washington pitchers.

### USE OF WATER SAVING FALLS

Rescue of Beautiful Horseshoe Curve Planned by Government Experts

Withdrawal of water from the Niagara River, for the purpose of generating electrical power, is preserving rather than injuring Niagara Falls, according to a committee report presented at the recent meeting of the National Electric Light Association at Seattle.

The explanation is that the enormous flood has slowly worn away the ledges, until within recent years a spot of soft limestone has been reached, almost in the center of the Horseshoe cataract. A V-shaped notch has been gutted out, which is eating its way back into the rock at the rate of five feet a year.

The suction caused by this receding channel is injuring the beauty of the cataract by drawing water away from the sides and concentrating it in the river just back of the danger point. This would deflect the current toward the sides, thus saving erosion at the notch and at the same time improving the appearance of the Falls near shore.

The work was declared to be feasible, but owing to the expense involved no steps have been taken so far to carry it out. Meanwhile, according to authority quoted, the stream above the Falls for power purposes, although inappreciable so far as the appearance of the cataract goes, lessens the enormous pressure at the apex and reduces wear at the middle of the beautiful horseshoe curve.

Fortunately, diversion of water cannot be carried to excess. Rigid limits have been set by the lately negotiated Canadian-American waterways treaty, so that, except for the effects of Nature itself, the grandeur of Niagara is safeguarded for the future.

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Clyde Milan hit 'steen for three good ones. Cincinnati fans saw a nice exhibition of control in the first game with Brooklyn. Fromme issuing the lone pass during nine innings. Zimmerman put the game on ice for the Cubs when he drove in a couple with a homer in the eighth. Some men believe in the golden rule, and others get through life on brass.

### TO MAKE NAVAL OFFICERS SWIM

Department to Require All Men to Keep Up Standard of Efficiency in Water

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Numerous drownings of naval officers, during the last few years, has led the Navy department to adopt a new plan for increasing the swimming ability of its men. A new form for reports on ship inspection has just been issued, with space for a report on the percentage of officers and crew who are able to swim five minutes without exhaustion, and how many are able to swim completely around the ship without evidence of fatigue.

Swimming has long been included in the curriculum at the Annapolis Naval Academy, and great pains are taken to make the young officers at home in the water. But the suspicion has been growing lately that few officers keep in practice. This led the Academy authorities recently to require a higher standard of efficiency in swimming tests of graduates, so high in fact, that last month several midshipmen were refused diplomas because they failed to meet the tests. It is now proposed to make the swimming standard even higher, and to require officers at sea to keep in practice. As yet no specific orders to this end have been issued, but it is hoped by the Navy Department that ship's pride will stimulate officers and men to greater aquatic exercise, in order to prevent any bad entry in the inspection reports.

Another innovation in the inspection report hits at ships where officers and men, in their anxiety to lead in the "maintenance allowance" competition—a race to see which ship can make a record for cheap maintenance—have permitted the vessels' fittings or equipment to deteriorate, rather than have their economy record marred by expensive repairs. The new inspection forms require a report by the inspecting officer whether repairs have been "unduly spared to the detriment of the vessel's serviceability."

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By "Veve Perry"



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WANTED—Blacksmith. L. O. Kinnear, West Salem. 6 5 tf

WANTED—To handle freight during season of navigation. Wages \$30 per hour. Open shop. W. J. Conners, 85 Reed street, Milwaukee, Wis. 6 25 tf

WANTED—Dairy farm hand. Apply at 105 Main St. 7 8 13

WANTED—Messenger boy, 16 years or over. Western Union Telegraph Co. 7 11 tf

WANTED—Experienced screw machine hand and assembler. At National Gauge and Register Co. 7 9 12

WANTED—Expert cutter to take charge of the cutting department, sash and door factory, out of town. Address K 3, Tribune. 7 12 17

WANTED—A man to travel with manager in Wisconsin. Must be single, sober and hustler. Expenses advanced. For information call Corcoran Hotel. Mr. Wiltgen. 7 12 13

MILL MEN WANTED—Pilers at \$2.50 per day, wheelers \$2.25, common laborers \$2.00. Willow River Lumber Co., New Richmond, Wis. 7 12 18

WANTED—Shoemaker at Jensen's, 208 South Third street. 7 12 12

WANTED—Bricklayers. August Gutzke, 323 South Sixteenth. 7 12 tf

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

EARN A DOLLAR AN EVENING writing postals at home. First supply of cards and particulars to start work for dime. H. Hamblin, Station A 517, Grand Rapids, Mich. 7 10 12

WANTED—A girl at the Chinese laundry, 409 South Third street. 7 10 12

WANTED—Girls at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 7 12 15

WANTED—Waitresses. Hotel La Crosse. 7 12 16

WANTED—Experienced girl, at 515 South Fifth. 7 10 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, at 710 Vine street. 7 2 tf

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## WANTED

Girls, steady work. Pampin Cigar Co., 113 South Second. 7 11 tf

WANTED—Girl at the Milwaukee house, 201 Vine street. 7 1 tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework, at 818 King street. 7 6 tf

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A two story brick house, cheap. Inquire 1211 South Eleventh, second floor. 6 21 tf

FOR SALE—A good sized second hand safe, grocery store fixtures, including new Stimpson scale. Address S. H., care of Tribune. 6 20 tf

CENTURY—The best \$25 bicycle made. Weis Book Store. 6 29 7 28

FOR SALE—Soda fountain and restaurant outfit. Inquire at Baltimore restaurant. 4 15 tf

FOR SALE—Eleven room house, and a six room house, both in good repair, on one large lot, five minutes' walk from postoffice. A bargain. Address 88, care of Tribune. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant feeding 200 people per day, fine location, cash trade, all modern. Will take \$350 for quick sale. Have other business out of city. Address X X, care of Tribune. 7 12 18

FOR SALE—Large reservoir flower vase, beautiful design, at half price. H. A. Trepte, 121 South Front. 7 11 17

FOR SALE—Bakery, best location in town; fixtures and oven in first class order, doing good business. Reason for selling, poor health. Price \$1,200. Address Bakery, care of Tribune. 7 11 19

FOR SALE—Fine tan and white fox terrier dog, nicely marked, one year old; good watch dog and house broke. 822 Hood street. New phone 1258-A. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—A Detroit vapor gasoline stove, three burners, extra oven with glass door. Cost \$22, will sell for \$10. Also Haviland China toilet set. Inquire 1202 Charles St. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—Cook stove, good condition. 1515 Johnson. 6 22 tf

RESORT PROPERTY AT A BARGAIN—A delightful spot on the Mississippi, one mile north of Victory, on Burlington railroad. Seventeen acres, good house and barn, boat landing; picturesque spot and rare scenery. Will be sold right. Terms cash or one-half of purchase price on time. Address J. Henry Tate, Viroqua, Wis. mon wed fri

FOR SALE—Fine pianos. Purchasers can have six months music lessons free. Pianos tuned. A. Ruhoff. 7 10 12

FOR SALE—Surrey, cheap if taken at once. J. G. Jaekel, 1100 S. 6th. 7 9 13

FOR SALE—Gas stove, baby carriage, go-cart and machine. Inquire 406 North Fourth. New phone 916-M. 7 11 tf

FOR SALE—25 foot launch, 10 H. P. Gardiner engine, speed 14 to 18 miles hour. First class condition. Cheap. 113 North Third. 6 29 tf

FOR SALE—Modern house, cheap this month. Address "House," Tribune. 7 11 17

FOR SALE—Must sell my entire flock of White Leghorns and Black Minorcas, heavy layers, in lots of 5 or 10, \$5 each. A. M. Ivey, West Salem, Wis. 7 11 13

FOR SALE—One set of surgeon's tools. Call up New Phone 97. 7 9 13

FOR SALE—Almost new kitchen cabinet complete. \$20 value, at \$10. 813 South Eighth street. 7 10 16

FOR SALE—One truck wagon, two seated buggy, one saddle and farm tools. Inquire at T. Kroll, 1234 Rose. 7 10 16

FOR SALE—Residence, 1420 George street. New phone 916-M. 6 25 tf

FOR SALE—Pleasant little home, 816 South Tenth; partly modern. Inquire 414 Cameron avenue. 7 6 tf

FOR SALE—Lot on Main street, fine residence location. Cheap if taken soon. Address 88, care of Tribune. 6 7 tf

FOR SALE—Oak shavings, counters, and show cases, cheap. Address 564, care of Tribune. 6 6 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room for single gent. 812 King St. 7 9 12

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house. No furnace. J. G. Jaekel, 1100 South Sixth. 6 18 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house, with bath, 410 Cameron Ave. \$16. Phone 706-A. 7 8 13

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house, No. 1101 State, after July 1. Fred Dittman. 5 29 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 604 South Fifth street. 7 10 12

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, gas and electric light. 1331 Vine. Inquire 1327 Vine. 7 3 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 211 No. 7th St. 7 9 15

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1013 Vine. 7 11 17

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, in the rear, 925 Vine street. 6 20 tf

FOR RENT—Ten room house, 223 Division, only \$15. 5 25 tf

FOR RENT—Five room modern house. Inquire H. N. Landphair, eye specialist, 533 Main. 5 22 tf

FOR RENT—Modern, brick-veneered dwelling, very desirably located. The Burke Agency, Room 4 Bata-vian National Bank building. New phone 194-R. 7 11 tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 1116 Main street, rear of lot, water, gas and electric light. Inquire 1122 Main street. 6 6 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 105 South Sixth. 6 10 tf

FOR RENT—Nice furnished rooms. Modern. 916 Vine. 4 8 tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy or lease, modern eight or ten room house with barn or garage, west of Twelfth street and north of Cass street. For full particulars address P. O. Box 470. 7 11 12

WANTED TO BUY—Chicken coop, must be warm and in good condition. Address O. O. Tribune. 7 11 12

WANTED—Children's sewing; very reasonable. 1626 Market. 7 6 12

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

MONEY LOANED on furniture; no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl. 5 22 tf

WANTED TO BUY—A delivery horse. Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 5 23 tf

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## Lost

LOST—Hound eighteen inches high. Black and tan, white breast and feet, tan head, white triangle on back of neck. Return to 1010 Mississippi. Reward. 7 8 13

LOST—Gold cross pin and black bow tie. Return to Tribune. 7 10 12

LOST—July 4, at or near the Milwaukee depot on North side, a ladies' gold watch, initials I. M. H. Return to police station No. 2. 7 6 12

## Business Chances

PARTNER WANTED—Good honest partner with \$1400 to buy half interest in good paying manufacturing business. This will pay salary of \$125.00 per month and half of profits. Will stand closest investigation. Call 400 So. 3rd St. 7 9 12

## Wanted

WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES for old carpets. La Crosse Rug and Renovating Co., 109 Main. 6 19 7 18

Architects, Superintendents  
ANDREW ROTH—Successor to Sebick & Roth, Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

Funeral Directors  
MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

Financial  
LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION is a savings bank; \$10 a month becomes \$1,000 in 56 months. 7 11 tf

## Found

FOUND—Black and white shepherd pup. Owner may have same by calling at 508 North Ninth and paying for this ad. hh 12 15

## THE DAILY MARKETS

## Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)  
Oranges, Cal., 150-216. .... \$3.50  
Oranges, 250-338 brand ..... \$3.25  
Lemons, 300-869 box. .... \$5 to \$5.60  
Bananas, bunch ..... \$1.25-1.75  
Walnut dates, box ..... \$1.20  
Persian dates, per pound ..... \$1.20  
Pineapples, Florida, crate ..... \$3.50  
Onions, yellow, per crate ..... \$1.60  
Onions, Crystal wall, crate ..... \$1.60  
Cabbage, large crate ..... \$3.50  
Messina lemons, box ..... \$5.50  
Watermelons, 25 to 25c  
Peaches, bushel ..... \$2.50  
Plums, bushel ..... \$2.50  
Peaches, 4 basket crate ..... \$1.25  
Potatoes, old, bushel ..... \$1.10  
Potatoes, new, bushel ..... \$1.50  
Cantaloupes, crate ..... \$5.00  
Livestock  
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs ..... \$6.85 to \$7.10  
Steers ..... \$3.00 to \$5.50  
Spring lambs ..... \$7.00  
Sheep ..... \$3.00  
Cows ..... \$2.00 to \$4.50  
Hicifers ..... \$2.50 to \$4.75

## Poultry

Chickens ..... 12 to 13c  
Turkeys, pound ..... 12 to 14c  
Ducks, pound ..... 11c  
Geese, pound ..... 11c

## Provisions

Lard, per pound ..... 12 to 12½c  
Shoulders, per pound ..... 11c  
Hams, per pound ..... 14½ to 15½c  
Bacon, per pound ..... 14½ to 18c  
Dry beef, per pound ..... 17 to 20c  
Butter and Eggs  
(Quoted by Hawley Corn Co.)  
Creamery, butter, pound ..... 25 to 27c  
Dairy butter, pound ..... 22 to 24c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen ..... 15c  
Eggs, seconds, dozen ..... 15c  
Flour and Feed  
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, per barrel ..... \$5.90  
Straight ..... \$5.70  
(Prices do not include sacks.)  
Bran, per ton ..... \$25.00  
Shorts ..... \$26.00  
White middlings, per ton ..... \$29.00  
Red Dog ..... \$30.00  
Grain  
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)  
Barley ..... 70 to 90c  
Corn ..... 65 to 73c  
Oats ..... 50 to 55c  
Wheat ..... 90c to \$1.05  
Rye ..... 75 to 78c  
Clover  
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases ..... 14c  
Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases ..... 14½c  
Fancy full Cream Twins ..... 15½c  
Fancy full Cream Limburger ..... 17c  
Fancy full Cream Swiss round ..... 22c  
Fancy full Cream Swiss Block (old) ..... 22c  
German Hand Cheese, per box ..... 90c  
Primost, per pound ..... 7c

## FOREIGN MARKETS

## New York Stocks.

NEW YORK, July 12.—At the opening of the stock market a moderate demand coupled with an absence of supply was sufficient to cause an early show of strength, but the gains were not long maintained.

11 a. m.—A little more activity was shown in the first hour, and although the business was concentrated in a few hands, the tone held steady.

Governments unchanged; other bonds steady.

Noon.—Nearly all of the speculative interests was attracted to the appearance of pressure against St. Paul, which forced the price of that stock down to 100%, the lowest price in five years.

2 p. m.—St. Paul continued under pressure, and sustained a further fractional loss, selling more than two points under its final of yesterday.

The stock market closed firm.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Money on call 3½ per cent.

Time money 4½ per cent for six months.

Bar Silver: London 27¼d; New York 60c.

Demand sterling \$4.8735.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 12.—Cattle—Receipts 1,000; market steady; steers none; cows and heifers \$3.50 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders \$3.00 to \$6.00; calves \$4.00 to \$7.50.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500; market steady; bulk \$7.35 to \$7.50; heavy \$7.40 to \$7.50; medium \$7.40 to \$7.50; light \$7.00 to \$7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 1,500; market steady; lambs \$7.00 to \$7.60; ewes \$3.50 to \$4.10; wethers and yearlings \$4.00 to \$5.00.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Extreme dullness marked trading in the grain pit today. Prices were unchanged to a fraction lower at the start with price-making factors favoring the bears. Late in the morning, wheat advanced, carrying corn upward with it.

The most marked advance of the day was in July oats, which were 1½c up at noon.

The provision market was quiet with prices generally lower.

cows and heifers, \$2.65 to \$8.00; stockers and feeders \$4.00 to \$6.35; Texans, \$6.00 to \$9.15.

Chicago Produce  
CHICAGO, July 12.—Butter—Extras 25c; firsts 24c; dairy extras 25c; firsts 23c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 18½c; firsts 17c.

Cheese—Twins 15½ to 15¾c; Young Americas 15½ to 16c.

Potatoes—\$1.10 to \$1.15.

Live Poultry—Fowls 13 to 13½c; spring chicks 14c; ducks 9c; geese 12c; turkeys 12c.

Barley and Flax  
Minneapolis barley 45 to 95c.

Minneapolis flax \$1.91 to \$1.90.

Chicago barley 65c to \$1.10.

Duluth flax \$1.94.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.05 to \$1.07 1-4; No. 3 red \$1.03 to \$1.05 1-2; No. 2 hard \$1.04 to \$1.06 1-2; No. 3 hard \$1.00 to \$1.04; No. 3 spring \$1.02 to \$1.07.

Corn—No. 2 white 75 to 79 1-4c; No. 2 yellow 74 1-2 to 75 1-4c; No. 3, 73 to 73 1-2c; No. 3 white 77 1-2 to 78 1-2c; No. 3 yellow 74 to 74 1-4c; No. 4, 69 to 70c; No. 4 white 75 to 76 1-4c; No. 4 yellow 71 1-2 to 72 1-2c.

Oats—No. 3 white 49 1-2 to 50 1-2c; No. 4 white 48 1-2 to 50 1-4c; standard 49 1-2 to 51 1-4c.

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Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT—July ... 104 105 103 105 1/2  
Sept. ... 100 101 100 101 1/2

CORN—July ... 73 74 73 74 1/2  
Sept. ... 73 74 73 74 1/2

E. G. HADDEN CO.  
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Sept. ... 68% 69% 68% 69%  
OATS—  
July ... 42% 44% 42% 44%  
Sept. ... 35% 35% 35% 35%

PORK—  
July ... 18.02 18.07 18.00 18.00  
Sept. ... 18.40 18.45 18.30 18.35

LARD—  
July ... 10.57 10.70 10.55 10.70  
Sept. ... 19.82 10.82 10.72 10.80

RIBS—  
July ... 10.60 10.62 10.55 10.55  
Sept. ... 10.50 10.62 10.50 10.50

Milwaukee Grain Market  
(E. G. Hadden Co., Room 417 McMillan Building)  
Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT—  
Sept. ... 100% 102 100% 101%  
Dec. ... 102 103 101% 103

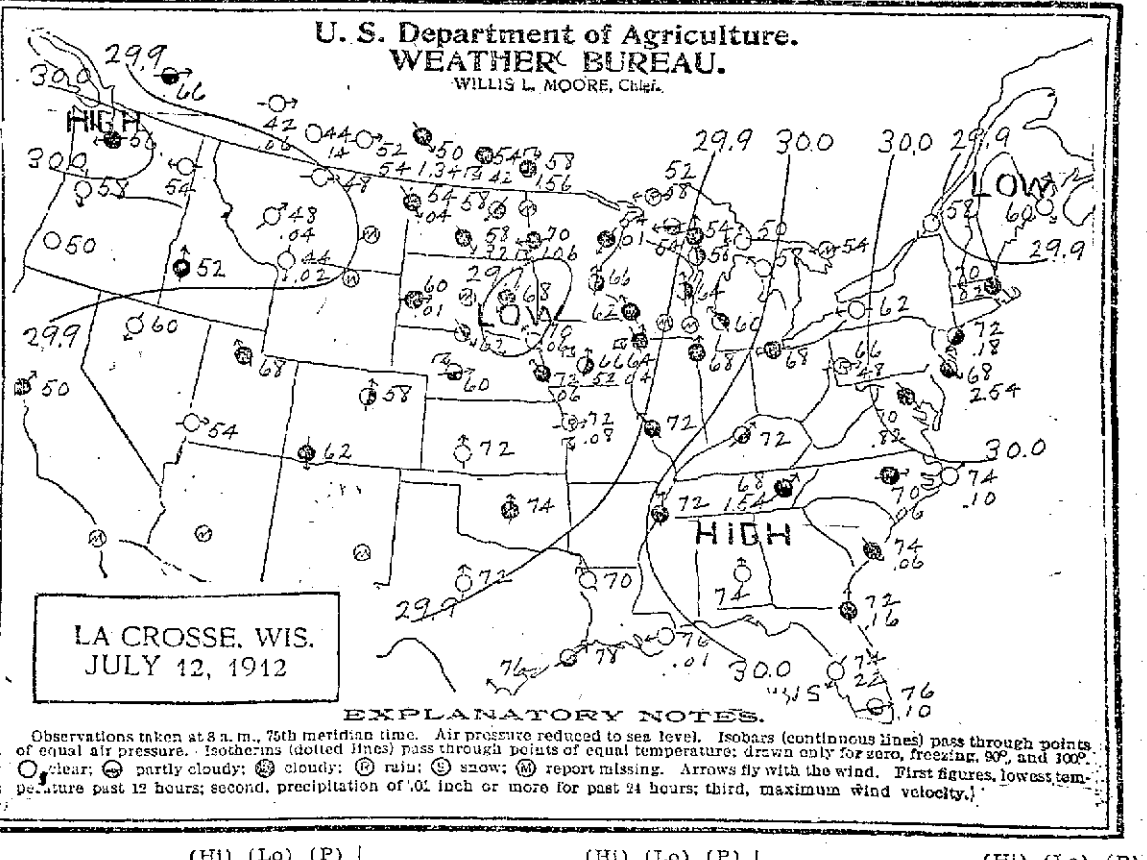
CORN—  
Sept. ... 69% 69% 69 69%  
Dec. ... 59 59% 58% 59%

OATS—  
Sept. ... 35 35% 35% 35%  
Dec. ... 36% 46% 36% 36%

HAS 6,000,000 NAMES  
LONDON, July 12.—Miss Anna B. Eckstein, principal of a school of languages in Boston, has arrived in London after touring America, Denmark, Switzerland, Austria, Sweden, France, Belgium and Holland, where she obtained 6,000,000 signatures to a world's peace petition to be presented to the next Hague conference in 1914-1915. More than 1,000,000 trade unionists of Great Britain have signed the petition. Miss Eckstein says she will have 10,000,000 signatures by 1914.

Powder doesn't necessarily blast a woman's character.

## Weather Forecast and Weather Conditions



	(H)	(L)	(P)		(H)	(L)	(P)		(H)	(L)	(P)
Atlantic City	68	84	2.54	Chicago	68	88	0	St. Paul	66	80	0
Boston	70	80	.82	La Crosse	68	81	0	Boise	52	84	0
Charleston	74	84	.06	Madison	68	80	0	Denver	58	82	0
New York	72	85	.18	Memphis	72	80	0	Helena	48	86	.04
Washington	70	83	.82	Milwaukee	68	80	0	Miles City	52	82	0
Galveston	78	88	.0	Bismarck	58	84	.32	Portland, Ore.	58	74	0
Jacksonville	72	86	.16	Huron	68	84	0	Spokane	54	78	0
New Orleans	76	86	.01	Kansas City	72	86	0	Medicine Hat	44	68	.14



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## CREAM BON BONS

TOASTED SHERBETS.  
FRUIT JELLIES.  
BURNED PEANUTS.  
ASSORTED CREAMS.  
CHOCOLATE FUDGE.  
VANILLA FUDGE.  
FRUIT DROPS.  
LEMON BALLS.  
PEACH STONES.  
COCOANUT BON BONS.  
KISSES. CRISP FLUFFS.  
FRESH SALTED PEANUTS.  
MARSHMELLOWS.  
COCOANUT BUTTERCUPS.  
JELLY BEANS.  
CHOCOLATES.  
MAPLE AND CHOCOLATE

## Saturday Noon Lunch

SERVED IN OUR

## Fresh Air Luncheonette Department

Pork, Beef, Sliced Cucumbers, Creamed Beets,  
Baked Beans, Hot Coffee and Tea, Iced  
Tea and Buttermilk, Fresh Blueberry  
Pie, Red Raspberry Shortcake

PINEAPPLE SHERBET, 5c  
CANTALOUPE SUNDAE, 10c  
PEACH COBBLER SUNDAE, 10c  
WATER MELON, per cut 5c

## Imitation Mexican Drawn Work

Dresser Scarfs, size 20x50 inches, made in a variety of dainty lace centers.  
Round Center Pieces, size 30x20 inches, scalloped edges, with row of hem-stitching and a heavy embroidered design.  
Lace Squares, size 32x32 inches, with scalloped edges.

CHOICE OF ANY

**25c**

"THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE," John Fox's masterpiece on sale at **49c**

FREE ORCHESTRA CONCERT SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING BY "KREUTZ-BAHNERT" ORCHESTRA

WE REDEEM "HAMILTON" BONDS AND COUPONS.  
2nd Floor Premium Dept.

## Underwear

Small lot of children's summer vests and pants, including fast dyed black pants for small children. Values to 25c, at

**15c**

## Gloves

Small lot women's white and black 12 button length silk gloves, with double tipped fingers; values to 75c, Saturday, to close

**49c**

## Men's Drawers

Men's Balbriggan summer weight knee length drawers. All 50c values, to close, choice

**19c**

## WOMEN'S FASHIONABLE WARM WEATHER

## LAWN DRESSES, CHOICE AT 98c

We have just received a large shipment of those ideal cool summer lawn dresses. The styles are exceedingly dainty and striking; materials are in an unlimited variety of pretty colorings and figured effects in blue, black, lavender, grey and pink. Various styles, including the sailor collar and tie or low neck effects. Trimmed in contrasting colors and embroidery. All high waist line and panel back skirt.



Rare Values Indeed Priced at only **98c**

## Underwear

Women's summer union suits, several different styles. All 50c and 59c values. Saturday to close, choice

**39c**

## Neckwear

Choice all women's neckwear, jabots, ribbons, flowers, collars, etc. All new and fashionable. Saturday, choice

**HALF PRICE**

## Pennants

Small lot all felt pennants, 6 x 24; letters sewed in felt. Variety of colleges. Choice Saturday, to close

**10c**

Women's fine cloth rubberized light weight tan Rain Coats. All seams cemented and stitched, guaranteed water proof. Very practical, priced all sizes—

**\$5.00**

Our large table of Children's Dresses, Women's black and colored Petticoats, Aprons, Children's "Tudor" Sleeping Suits, Corset Covers and Drawers, values to 50c, to close, choice—

**25c**

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### JOINTED RODS

Fine Cane Jointed Fishing Rods, three joints, brass ferrules and tip, a fine strong, cheap rod, each **25c**

### FISHING TACKLE

Fish Line, fine cotton in 15 foot lengths, priced each at only **1c**  
Spoon Hooks, fine fluted bait spoons with three feathered hooks, each **2c**  
Kirby Fish Hooks, sizes from 12 to 1, 10 for **1c**  
Floats, fancy painted, at each **1c**  
Reel, 25 yard Brass Reels, well made, priced at each **10c**

10 lbs. Best Granulated SUGAR For **49c**

With Grocery Order of 50c or over

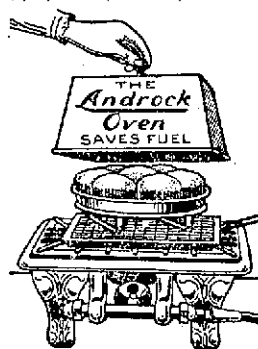
Lenox Soap, 10 bars for **30c**  
Fancy Rice, per lb. **8c**  
Fancy 60-70 Prunes, per lb. **10c**  
Cream of Wheat, per package **14c**  
Breakfast Cocoa, per lb. **25c**  
Soused Mackerel, per can **18c**  
Royal Scotch Herring in tomato sauce, at per can **20c**  
Large Kipperd Herring, per can **20c**  
Fresh Mackerel, per can **20c**  
Corn Flakes, 2 packages **15c**  
Pure Extracted Honey in quart Mason fruit jars, **35c**  
Grape Juice, per bottle **15c and 23c**

Fancy Sliced Dills, per glass **20c**  
Pure Lard, per lb. **13c**  
Picnic Hams, per lb. **13c**  
Breakfast Bacon, per lb. **17c**  
Summer Sausage, per lb. **15c**

## "ANDROCK" OVEN AT 50c

Perfect Oven at a Remarkably Low Price

Here is the ideal Oven for summer use, and for use in the spring, the fall and winter, too. Place it on top of a gas burner, light up and it is ready to bake pies, biscuits, or puddings; as an iron heater it has no equal. It is a dandy bread toaster, and it bakes potatoes or cooks small roasts to a "T,"—and all of this with the minimum amount of gas and no wasted heat. It is a thoroughly practical little oven that will save its cost many times over. The introductory price **50c**



## "Mason" Fruit Jars

Very best grade, well known "Mason" Fruit Jars sold at prices that are not duplicated in the city.

Pints—per dozen only **37c**  
Quarts—per dozen only **47c**  
Half Gallons—per dozen **67c**

## COLONIAL FOLKS WERE ILLITERATE

People of Massachusetts in Early Days Were Best Educated and in Virginia Least

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Some of the experts of the bureau of education have been putting in the hot days this summer examining the signatures of old documents of Colonial days to see how many of our forefathers could write their own names. They found an astonishing amount of illiteracy among our best people—that is, astonishing to us in these days of compulsory education, but not so astounding considering the difficulties of getting an education 200 years ago.

After counting nearly 100,000 signatures and marks, the experts found that the people of Massachusetts were best educated, and those of Virginia least. The New York Dutch and the Pennsylvania Germans were above the average in education.

In Massachusetts 11 per cent of the men who attended legal papers made their marks instead of signing. In the middle of the seventeenth century 58 per cent of Massachusetts women could not write their own names. By the end of the century this percentage had fallen to 38.

In Virginia of over 2,000 men who signed jury lists in the seventeenth century 40 per cent made their marks and of over 12,000 who signed legal papers 40 per cent made their marks.

An examination of legal papers filed by Pennsylvania Germans showed that 25 per cent of the men were illiterate. Among the Dutch of New York illiteracy declined from 40 per cent in 1675 to six per cent in 1738.

In all the colonies women possessed the scantiest educations. In Virginia 76 per cent of the women were illiterate. In New York 60 per cent, in Massachusetts 58 per cent.

### BOND LAW NETS \$46,000.

MADISON, Wis., July 12.—During the first year of the operation of the stock and bond law of Wisconsin, which ended yesterday, the state has received fees totalling \$46,277.30 from public service corporations, accruing from an assessment of \$1 for each thousand dollars of the face value of bonds or other evidences of indebtedness.

### KAUFMAN COMING BACK.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 12.—Al Kaufman, once a white hope, will try to get back into the limelight here, July 31. Kaufman today is matched by Eddie Graney to go 20 rounds with Charley Miller, a giant motorman.

## COMPILE FIGURES ABOUT BUSINESS

America Second in Amount of Negotiable Paper; England Leads with 28 Billion

PARIS, July 12.—The Society of Statistics has just made public these facts concerning the world's business. In negotiable paper there is in all the world, in round numbers \$163,000,000,000 divided among the countries as follows: England, 28 billion dollars; United States, 26 billion; France, 21 billion; Germany, 18 billion; Russia, 6 billion; Austria, 5 billion; Italy between 2 and 3 billion; Japan, 2 billion, other countries 7 to 9 billion.

There are in the world 614,924 miles of railway. Of these, 315,147 miles are in North and South America; 203,246 in Europe, the remainder, about 95,000 miles, in Asia, Africa and Oceania. The average value in Europe, per kilometre (five-eighths of a mile) is about \$80,000. In the other countries the average is but \$43,000.

International commerce at the end of 1910 is valued at from 25 to 27 billion dollars; public debts (European) contracted in war preparations are over 30 billion dollars; the annual war debt is over a billion. In conclusion M. Alfred Neymarck, who compiled the figures says:

"Never were there more negotiable papers. Never was the international commerce figure higher. Never was there a greater number of miles of railways in exploitation. Never were the commercial relations of the peoples of the world more active. Never were the public debts bigger; the war budgets larger, or taxes so high. Never was the taxpayer more heavily burdened."

## HUBBY'S PALS WIN HIM FROM WIFE

CHICAGO, July 12.—"Men, when you go out for a night with the boys be sure your friends are single. Else, according to Municipal Judge Heap, you may lay yourself out to a fine for alienating some husband's affections."

The judge fixed a precedent when Mrs. Michael O'Leary caused the arrest of John Flynn and charged him with "stealing her husband." "My husband Mike is never home," said Mrs. O'Leary, glaring wrathfully at the defendant. "Since Mike met this Flynn person he's out every evening and on Sunday I don't see him at all. Flynn has alienated his affections."

To prove Mrs. O'Leary was right the judge assessed Flynn \$15 and costs.

The average income of many a married man is about 2 A. M.

## MONEY IS PLENTY SAYS DR. WILSON

Democratic Nominee Declares Party Will Not Need Contributions of Interests

SEA GIRT, N. J., July 12.—That plenty of cash will be available to run the democratic campaign, and that there will be no need of accepting contributions from "interested parties or corporations," was the declaration of Governor Wilson yesterday. The democratic candidate said he was greatly pleased on opening his mail to find many letters containing one dollar bills from workmen and women who wished him every success and who contributed "their mite" for the cause.

To date the governor has received about \$2,500. The largest contribution was \$500, while there have been some of \$100, others of \$50, and numerous tens, fives, twos and ones. A conference which is expected to have an important bearing on the coming campaign, will take place here next Saturday, when Speaker Champ Clark of the house of representatives will confer with the man who defeated him for the democratic presidential nomination. Governor Wilson today telegraphed Speaker Clark that Saturday would be convenient for the contemplated visit and immediately afterward received a telegram saying that the speaker would arrive on Saturday afternoon.

## LONDON SCENE OF DOCK RIOT

LONDON, July 12.—Strike-breaking dock workers were again furiously attacked when they left the Surrey docks for luncheon today. Sympathizers with the striking transport workers' union greeted them with showers of stones, by which several men were seriously hurt. The attacking party did not give ground when rushed by the police and the riot raged during the entire noon hour. On both sides there were many casualties.

### CHICAGO GOLFERS GO

CHICAGO, July 12.—The pick of Chicago golfers will leave tonight in a special car for Denver where they will enter the thirteenth annual Western Golf association, amateur championship tournament to open on the "mile high links," July 15.

### TAFT SIGNS BILL

WASHINGTON, July 12.—"William H. Taft" was written today by the president on a baseball for Umpire Silko O'Loughlin, at the request of Representative Riley of Connecticut. It was the same ball which Taft threw out in opening the season here.



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